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I. NATIONAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

Expenditure on the gross domestic product

TABLE I

£ million

	Gross domestic product at factor cost(1)	Final expenditure on goods and services at market prices: Total (Unadjusted)	Total (Seasonally adjusted)	Consumers' expenditure	Public authorities' current expenditure	Gross domestic fixed capital formation	Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress	Exports of goods and services	Imports of goods and services	Taxes on expenditure	Subsidies
At current prices											
1964	28,964		39,620	21,493	5,512	5,854	654	6,107	6,711	4,455	510
1965	30,895		42,159	22,865	6,043	6,303	416	6,532	6,842	4,986	564
1966	32,606		44,756	24,238	6,572	6,710	253	6,983	7,095	5,611	556
1967	34,429		47,217	25,357	7,276	7,244	202	7,138	7,579	5,996	787
1968	36,419		51,522	27,070	7,725	7,857	197	8,673	9,047	6,945	889
1969(3)	38,124		54,651	28,590	8,133	7,942	338	9,648	9,493	7,870	836
1967 1st quarter	8,290	11,343	11,636	5,858	1,807	1,811	56	1,811	1,845	1,402	194
2nd quarter	8,591	11,799	11,771	6,289	1,773	1,763	130	1,844	1,913	1,482	187
3rd quarter	8,631	11,858	11,845	6,436	1,804	1,793	39	1,786	1,898	1,510	181
4th quarter	8,917	12,217	11,965	6,774	1,892	1,877	− 23	1,697	1,923	1,602	225
1968 1st quarter	8,738	12,322	12,608	6,442	1,946	1,969	−120	2,085	2,235	1,589	240
2nd quarter	8,943	12,619	12,571	6,630	1,886	1,838	149	2,116	2,227	1,660	211
3rd quarter	9,139	13,003	13,006	6,803	1,930	1,922	136	2,212	2,319	1,747	202
4th quarter	9,599	13,578	13,337	7,195	1,963	2,128	32	2,260	2,266	1,949	236
1969 1st quarter	8,972	12,875	13,184	6,614	2,011	1,946	100	2,204	2,315	1,795	207
2nd quarter	9,428	13,538	13,490	7,123	1,978	1,871	122	2,444	2,378	1,923	191
3rd quarter	9,557	13,809	13,797	7,231	2,025	2,001	79	2,473	2,412	2,039	199
4th quarter(3)	10,167	14,429	14,180	7,622	2,119	2,124	37	2,527	2,388	2,113	239
Revalued at 1963 prices										Adjustment to factor cost(2)	
1964	28,224		38,477	20,819	5,272	5,717	642	6,027	6,501	3,752	
1965	28,961		39,261	21,177	5,420	5,949	400	6,315	6,545	3,755	
1966	29,524		40,092	21,630	5,561	6,105	241	6,555	6,697	3,871	
1967	30,040		41,164	22,074	5,853	6,508	169	6,560	7,098	4,026	
1968	30,941		42,760	22,541	5,873	6,835	155	7,356	7,602	4,217	
1969(3)	31,312		43,324	22,620	5,815	6,619	302	7,968	7,767	4,245	
Unadjusted											
1967 1st quarter	7,315		10,015	5,148	1,483	1,638	52	1,694	1,742	958	
2nd quarter	7,542		10,365	5,508	1,445	1,589	103	1,720	1,824	999	
3rd quarter	7,487		10,268	5,568	1,429	1,613	31	1,627	1,781	1,000	
4th quarter	7,696		10,516	5,850	1,496	1,668	− 17	1,519	1,751	1,069	
1968 1st quarter	7,518		10,475	5,524	1,515	1,741	−104	1,799	1,902	1,055	
2nd quarter	7,630		10,511	5,541	1,450	1,597	120	1,803	1,885	996	
3rd quarter	7,691		10,662	5,591	1,445	1,660	104	1,862	1,931	1,040	
4th quarter	8,102		11,112	5,885	1,463	1,837	35	1,892	1,884	1,126	
1969 1st quarter	7,480		10,407	5,355	1,480	1,655	92	1,825	1,916	1,011	
2nd quarter	7,785		10,807	5,676	1,426	1,572	104	2,029	1,968	1,054	
3rd quarter	7,835		10,852	5,659	1,432	1,656	61	2,044	1,967	1,050	
4th quarter(3)	8,212		11,258	5,930	1,477	1,736	45	2,070	1,916	1,130	
Seasonally adjusted											
1967 1st quarter	7,521		10,257	5,391	1,460	1,585	83	1,738	1,761	975	
2nd quarter	7,505		10,314	5,482	1,455	1,666	43	1,668	1,803	1,006	
3rd quarter	7,527		10,278	5,575	1,454	1,638	− 33	1,644	1,734	1,017	
4th quarter	7,487		10,315	5,626	1,484	1,619	76	1,510	1,800	1,028	
1968 1st quarter	7,709		10,688	5,751	1,492	1,692	− 72	1,825	1,899	1,080	
2nd quarter	7,585		10,461	5,508	1,460	1,677	58	1,758	1,866	1,010	
3rd quarter	7,733		10,694	5,618	1,469	1,690	38	1,879	1,910	1,051	
4th quarter	7,914		10,917	5,664	1,452	1,776	131	1,894	1,927	1,076	
1969 1st quarter	7,665		10,614	5,566	1,454	1,614	95	1,885	1,924	1,025	
2nd quarter	7,752		10,759	5,661	1,436	1,640	53	1,969	1,947	1,060	
3rd quarter	7,866		10,871	5,681	1,457	1,683	—	2,050	1,931	1,074	
4th quarter(3)	8,029		11,080	5,712	1,468	1,682	154	2,064	1,965	1,086	

(1) Equals total final expenditure on goods and services at market prices *less* imports of goods and services *less* taxes on expenditure *plus* subsidies. Estimates of the gross domestic product at constant factor cost based on statistics of output are given in Table 3.

(2) This represents taxes on expenditure *less* subsidies valued at constant rates.

(3) Provisional.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Factor incomes in the gross national product

TABLE 2

£ million

	Gross national product	Net property income from abroad	Gross domestic product at factor cost	Factor incomes						*less* Stock appreciation	Residual error
				Total domestic income (1)	Income from employment (2)	Gross trading profits of companies (1)(3)	Gross trading surplus of public corporations (1)(4)	Gross profits of other public enterprises (1)	Income from rent and self-employment (1)		
1964	29,361	397	28,964	29,368	19,703	4,601	931	91	4,042	−302	−102
1965	31,333	438	30,895	31,522	21,261	4,778	995	96	4,392	−334	−293
1966	32,987	381	32,606	33,023	22,741	4,455	1,049	87	4,691	−320	− 97
1967	34,798	369	34,429	34,509	23,621	4,660	1,139	88	5,001	−187	107
1968	36,741	322	36,419	37,107	25,304	5,065	1,352	108	5,278	−642	− 46
1969(5)	38,596	472	38,124	39,308	27,109	5,057	1,451	114	5,577	−805	−379
Unadjusted											
1967 1st quarter	8,398	108	8,290	8,325	5,664	1,116	311	21	1,213	3	− 38
2nd quarter	8,673	82	8,591	8,611	5,869	1,228	250	22	1,242	12	− 32
3rd quarter	8,739	108	8,631	8,483	5,933	1,053	222	21	1,254	− 28	176
4th quarter	8,988	71	8,917	9,090	6,155	1,263	356	24	1,292	−174	1
1968 1st quarter	8,828	90	8,738	9,082	6,149	1,242	380	28	1,283	−228	−116
2nd quarter	9,050	107	8,943	9,177	6,225	1,325	296	26	1,305	−147	− 87
3rd quarter	9,243	104	9,139	9,109	6,331	1,159	267	25	1,327	− 94	124
4th quarter	9,620	21	9,599	9,739	6,599	1,339	409	29	1,363	−173	33
1969 1st quarter	9,152	180	8,972	9,568	6,562	1,184	443	30	1,349	−200	−396
2nd quarter	9,564	136	9,428	9,750	6,667	1,351	328	27	1,377	−192	−130
3rd quarter	9,668	111	9,557	9,641	6,760	1,161	287	30	1,403	−189	105
4th quarter(5)	10,212	45	10,167	10,349	7,120	1,361	393	27	1,448	−224	42
Seasonally adjusted											
1967 1st quarter	8,625	86	8,539	8,371	5,718	1,146	263	21	1,223	3	165
2nd quarter	8,661	71	8,590	8,599	5,879	1,181	273	22	1,244	12	− 21
3rd quarter	8,759	99	8,660	8,641	5,965	1,115	284	21	1,256	− 28	47
4th quarter	8,753	113	8,640	8,898	6,059	1,218	319	24	1,278	−174	− 84
1968 1st quarter	9,053	75	8,978	9,125	6,203	1,273	327	28	1,294	−228	81
2nd quarter	9,007	102	8,905	9,169	6,235	1,274	327	26	1,307	−147	−117
3rd quarter	9,276	109	9,167	9,281	6,368	1,228	331	25	1,329	− 94	− 20
4th quarter	9,405	36	9,369	9,532	6,498	1,290	367	29	1,348	−173	10
1969 1st quarter	9,367	150	9,217	9,609	6,621	1,213	384	30	1,361	−200	−192
2nd quarter	9,510	122	9,388	9,743	6,672	1,301	364	27	1,379	−192	−163
3rd quarter	9,673	107	9,566	9,827	6,802	1,233	357	30	1,405	−189	− 72
4th quarter(5)	10,046	93	9,953	10,129	7,014	1,310	346	27	1,432	−224	48

(1) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.
(2) Wages and salaries, Forces' pay and employers' contributions.
(3) Selective employment tax is included on a cash basis and refunds or premiums are allowed for when they are received.
(4) Including the central government grant to meet the trading deficits of nationalised transport undertakings.
(5) Provisional.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Index numbers of output at constant factor cost

TABLE 3 — 1963 = 100

	Gross domestic product (1)	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Industrial production					Transport and communication	Distributive trades	Other services
			Total (2)	Mining and quarrying (2)	Manufacturing (2)	Construction	Gas, electricity and water (2)			
1963 weights	*100*	*3*	*44*	*2*	*33*	*6*	*3*	*9*	*11*	*33*
1964	106·0	104	108·3	99·8	108·7	111·3	105·1	106	103	104
1965	108·8	107	111·7	95·8	112·4	114·3	112·3	108	106	106
1966	110·6	107	113·2	90·1	114·2	115·3	116·9	110	107	109
1967	112·4	111	113·9	89·1	114·2	119·4	121·2	112	108	112
1968	116·7	111	119·8	84·8	121·4	121·8	128·2	115	111	115
1969	119·0	111	122·9	80·3	125·5	119·2	136·2	118	112	117
Seasonally adjusted										
1967 1st quarter ...	110·6	108	112·4	89·5	112·6	117·9	118·0	111	107	110
2nd quarter	112·2	110	113·4	90·0	113·5	118·7	121·9	112	108	112
3rd quarter...	112·6	112	113·7	88·4	113·8	120·7	119·4	112	108	113
4th quarter...	114·2	113	116·0	88·4	116·6	120·2	124·8	112	110	114
1968 1st quarter ...	116·0	113	117·8	86·7	118·5	120·9	129·7	115	113	116
2nd quarter	115·4	112	118·6	85·0	119·9	122·4	124·6	114	109	114
3rd quarter...	117·1	110	120·6	83·7	122·4	121·8	128·4	115	111	116
4th quarter...	118·3	108	122·4	83·7	124·7	122·4	129·1	116	112	117
1969 1st quarter ...	117·5	108	121·8	80·9	123·6	118·1	142·6	117	111	115
2nd quarter	119·2	110	123·2	79·9	125·7	122·2	132·8	118	113	117
3rd quarter	119·1	112	123·0	80·1	126·2	118·5	131·0	119	112	117
4th quarter	120·2	113	123·7	76·4	127·0	118·2	137·1	118	113	119

(1) Estimates of the gross domestic product obtained from statistics of expenditure are given in Table 1.

(2) Monthly figures and figures for individual manufacturing industries are given in Table 48.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Personal income, expenditure and saving

TABLE 4

£ million

	Personal income before tax						Transfers abroad (net) and Taxes paid abroad	United Kingdom taxes on income (payments)	National Insurance, etc. contributions	Total personal disposable income (5)(6)	Consumers' expenditure	Balance (personal saving) (6)
	Total (1)	Wages and salaries	Forces' pay	Employers' contributions (2)	Current grants from public authorities(3)	Other personal income (4)						
1964...	27,671	17,750	450	1,503	2,257	5,711	42	2,801	1,444	23,384	21,493	1,891
1965...	30,079	19,085	467	1,709	2,604	6,214	52	3,344	1,685	24,998	22,865	2,133
1966...	32,060	20,325	523	1,893	2,834	6,485	71	3,733	1,804	26,452	24,238	2,214
1967...	33,692	21,055	524	2,042	3,199	6,872	83	4,109	1,909	27,591	25,357	2,234
1968...	36,197	22,480	542	2,282	3,685	7,208	102	4,624	2,167	29,304	27,070	2,234
1969...	38,491	24,135	543	2,431	3,938	7,444	109	5,173	2,249	30,960	28,590	2,370
Unadjusted												
1967 1st quarter ...	8,096	5,040	128	496	795	1,637	12	1,091	467	6,526	5,858	668
2nd quarter ...	8,380	5,235	129	505	794	1,717	23	1,027	471	6,859	6,289	570
3rd quarter ...	8,547	5,290	134	509	793	1,821	22	1,021	470	7,034	6,436	598
4th quarter ...	8,669	5,490	133	532	817	1,697	26	970	501	7,172	6,774	398
1968 1st quarter ...	8,836	5,465	130	554	918	1,769	31	1,181	527	7,097	6,442	655
2nd quarter ...	8,937	5,530	132	563	909	1,803	24	1,177	534	7,202	6,630	572
3rd quarter ...	9,103	5,610	143	578	931	1,841	22	1,158	553	7,370	6,803	567
4th quarter ...	9,321	5,875	137	587	927	1,795	25	1,108	553	7,635	7,195	440
1969 1st quarter ...	9,412	5,840	133	589	991	1,859	25	1,307	550	7,530	6,614	916
2nd quarter ...	9,488	5,935	133	599	962	1,859	26	1,314	552	7,596	7,123	473
3rd quarter ...	9,638	6,015	136	609	984	1,894	31	1,291	556	7,760	7,231	529
4th quarter ...	9,953	6,345	141	634	1,001	1,832	27	1,261	591	8,074	7,622	452
Seasonally adjusted												
1967 1st quarter ...	8,162	5,090	132	496	771	1,673	12	983	467	6,700	6,164	536
2nd quarter ...	8,354	5,245	129	505	787	1,688	23	992	471	6,868	6,286	582
3rd quarter ...	8,556	5,325	131	509	804	1,787	22	1,060	470	7,004	6,402	602
4th quarter ...	8,620	5,395	132	532	837	1,724	26	1,074	501	7,019	6,505	514
1968 1st quarter ...	8,882	5,515	134	554	892	1,787	31	1,104	527	7,220	6,750	470
2nd quarter ...	8,931	5,540	132	563	908	1,788	24	1,138	534	7,235	6,593	642
3rd quarter ...	9,095	5,650	140	578	932	1,795	22	1,178	553	7,342	6,797	545
4th quarter ...	9,289	5,775	136	587	953	1,838	25	1,204	553	7,507	6,930	577
1969 1st quarter ...	9,464	5,895	137	589	963	1,880	25	1,250	550	7,639	6,924	715
2nd quarter ...	9,465	5,940	133	599	953	1,840	26	1,263	552	7,624	7,108	516
3rd quarter ...	9,638	6,060	133	609	996	1,840	31	1,310	556	7,741	7,216	525
4th quarter ...	9,924	6,240	140	634	1,026	1,884	27	1,350	591	7,956	7,342	614

(1) Before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation.
(2) Employers' contributions to national insurance, etc. and pension funds.
(3) National insurance benefits, family allowances, assistance grants, war pensions and service grants, etc.
(4) Income from rent and self-employment, before providing for depreciation and stock appreciation, dividend and net interest receipts and transfers to charities from companies.
(5) Equals total personal income before tax *less* taxes on income, national insurance etc. contributions, and net transfers abroad.
(6) Before providing for depreciation, stock appreciation and additions to tax reserves.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Consumers' expenditure

TABLE 5

£ million

	Total	Food	Alcoholic drink		Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	Clothing		Durable goods				Other goods	Other services
			Beer	Other				Footwear	Other	Total	Cars and motor cycles	Furniture and floor coverings	Radio and electrical goods, etc.		
At current prices															
1964... ...	21,493	4,895	761	556	1,343	2,343	1,000	332	1,606	1,883	843	525	515	2,772	4,002
1965... ...	22,865	5,065	837	578	1,428	2,586	1,087	348	1,711	1,894	801	565	528	3,037	4,294
1966... ...	24,238	5,321	887	625	1,504	2,835	1,161	356	1,757	1,894	798	573	523	3,281	4,617
1967... ...	25,357	5,481	936	654	1,512	3,056	1,208	360	1,779	2,025	902	565	558	3,502	4,844
1968... ...	27,070	5,663	958	733	1,578	3,287	1,340	375	1,882	2,196	989	598	609	3,921	5,137
1969... ...	2,8590	5,977	1,058	751	1,695	3,577	1,421	391	1,947	2,098	915	576	607	4,196	5,479
1967 1st qtr.	5,858	1,330	205	104	361	738	370	72	369	465	216	123	126	776	1,068
2nd qtr.	6,289	1,369	235	149	390	776	283	91	425	518	258	137	123	833	1,220
3rd qtr.	6,436	1,363	264	159	385	771	219	86	419	505	232	136	137	892	1,373
4th qtr.	6,774	1,419	232	242	376	771	336	111	566	537	196	169	172	1,001	1,183
1968 1st qtr.	6,442	1,381	208	131	375	791	429	74	392	657	349	146	162	875	1,129
2nd qtr.	6,630	1,398	241	154	402	838	299	94	455	506	233	145	128	950	1,293
3rd qtr.	6,803	1,405	262	168	405	831	252	89	442	503	221	138	144	1,003	1,443
4th qtr.	7,195	1,479	247	280	396	827	360	118	593	530	186	169	175	1,093	1,272
1969 1st qtr.	6,614	1,441	221	128	392	846	469	73	395	506	239	127	140	932	1,211
2nd qtr.	7,123	1,477	257	160	440	907	335	99	480	554	277	142	135	1,033	1,381
3rd qtr.	7,231	1,488	298	176	435	910	248	93	460	526	238	140	148	1,067	1,530
4th qtr.	7,622	1,571	282	287	428	914	369	126	612	512	161	167	184	1,164	1,357
Revalued at 1963 prices															
1964... ...	20,819	4,769	726	528	1,270	2,196	973	330	1,580	1,865	853	508	504	2,693	3,889
1965... ...	21,177	4,770	728	504	1,224	2,274	1,035	339	1,647	1,842	810	524	508	2,814	4,000
1966... ...	21,630	4,854	743	522	1,264	2,343	1,068	333	1,653	1,821	807	517	497	2,940	4,089
1967... ...	22,074	4,901	762	535	1,271	2,440	1,097	331	1,651	1,908	886	498	524	3,065	4,113
1968... ...	22,541	4,916	768	571	1,261	2,530	1,151	338	1,721	1,977	927	505	545	3,194	4,114
1969... ...	22,620	4,921	802	544	1,246	2,613	1,226	342	1,711	1,818	835	463	520	3,212	4,185
Unadjusted															
1967 1st qtr.	5,148	1,197	167	84	304	593	349	66	343	443	216	109	118	683	919
2nd qtr.	5,508	1,221	191	121	328	626	266	84	394	491	254	121	116	743	1,043
3rd qtr.	5,568	1,218	215	130	323	614	188	79	389	476	227	120	129	777	1,159
4th qtr.	5,850	1,265	189	200	316	607	294	102	525	498	189	148	161	862	992
1968 1st qtr.	5,524	1,216	169	107	312	618	388	67	361	610	334	126	150	748	928
2nd qtr.	5,541	1,223	190	119	323	649	270	85	417	457	221	122	114	767	1,041
3rd qtr.	5,591	1,213	211	129	322	636	199	80	405	446	203	116	127	807	1,143
4th qtr.	5,885	1,264	198	216	304	627	294	106	538	464	169	141	154	872	1,002
1969 1st qtr.	5,355	1,209	170	93	290	636	426	65	354	445	219	105	121	723	944
2nd qtr.	5,676	1,216	197	116	326	671	301	87	426	480	249	115	116	795	1,061
3rd qtr.	5,659	1,222	227	129	321	658	195	81	403	455	216	112	127	812	1,156
4th qtr.	5,930	1,274	208	206	309	648	304	109	528	438	151	131	156	882	1,024
Seasonally adjusted															
1967 1st qtr.	5,391	1,216	191	128	315	600	264	83	412	421	174	123	124	744	1,017
2nd qtr.	5,482	1,223	188	133	322	609	279	81	406	450	200	122	128	762	1,029
3rd qtr.	5,575	1,235	194	137	316	613	275	83	413	505	246	125	134	769	1,035
4th qtr.	5,626	1,227	189	137	318	618	279	84	420	532	266	128	138	790	1,032
1968 1st qtr.	5,751	1,234	191	159	322	625	285	85	431	587	288	142	157	811	1,021
2nd qtr.	5,508	1,227	188	131	316	631	284	82	429	411	164	122	125	785	1,024
3rd qtr.	5,618	1,227	191	134	316	635	297	84	430	477	225	120	132	797	1,030
4th qtr.	5,664	1,228	198	147	307	639	285	87	431	502	250	121	131	801	1,039
1969 1st qtr.	5,566	1,229	192	139	299	644	315	82	423	425	180	118	127	781	1,037
2nd qtr.	5,661	1,220	196	128	319	652	316	84	438	448	205	115	128	814	1,046
3rd qtr.	5,681	1,236	205	136	315	657	296	86	428	479	230	117	132	801	1,042
4th qtr.	5,712	1,236	209	141	313	660	299	90	422	466	220	113	133	816	1,060

Source: Central Statistical Office

Value of physical increase in stocks and work in progress

TABLE 6

£ million

	All industries	Manufacturing										Distributive trades		Other industries
		Total	Analysis by industry group						Analysis by type of asset					
			Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	Textiles, leather and clothing	Other manufacturing industries	Materials and fuel	Work in progress	Finished goods	Retail	Wholesale	
At current prices														
Book value of stocks and work in progress at end-December 1962	10,733	6,029	809	502	478	2,977	664	599	2,208	2,222	1,599	1,099	950	2,655
1963	219	123	44	− 11	1	75	2	12	2	100	21	57	31	8
1964	654	421	6	41	31	247	63	33	152	182	87	52	93	88
1965	416	277	2	25	28	181	− 3	44	62	104	111	47	46	46
1966	253	157	− 9	24	− 14	96	28	32	− 23	36	144	5	17	74
1967	202	− 36	21	1	− 32	16	− 35	− 7	− 46	41	− 31	12	10	216
1968	197	− 66	− 2	46	38	−190	12	30	− 18	− 61	13	106	91	66
1969(1)	338	225	19	45	− 48	141	40	28	23	77	125	41	−33	105
1967 1st quarter	56	− 5	11	− 8	− 10	− 16	7	11	− 29	19	5	63	− 6	4
2nd quarter	130	36	− 5	− 8	− 5	44	6	4	− 41	20	57	8	1	85
3rd quarter	39	− 4	31	23	2	− 25	− 21	− 14	43	19	− 66	−44	31	56
4th quarter	− 23	− 63	− 16	− 6	− 19	13	− 27	− 8	− 19	− 17	− 27	−15	−16	71
1968 1st quarter	−120	−155	17	− 24	− 10	−138	4	− 4	− 35	− 39	− 81	104	4	− 73
2nd quarter	149	63	− 10	35	16	− 21	23	20	− 26	14	75	− 8	26	68
3rd quarter	136	43	1	23	28	3	− 15	3	45	24	− 26	−17	59	51
4th quarter	32	− 17	− 10	12	4	− 34	—	11	− 2	− 60	45	27	2	20
1969 1st quarter	100	86	24	− 5	− 18	35	35	15	− 4	25	65	81	−17	−50
2nd quarter	122	75	− 20	19	− 2	52	13	13	− 3	15	63	−14	−10	71
3rd quarter	79	3	35	—	− 15	− 8	− 6	− 3	27	45	− 69	−33	34	75
4th quarter	37	61	− 20	31	− 13	62	− 2	3	3	− 8	66	7	−40	9
Revalued at 1963 prices														
Value of stocks and work in progress at end-December 1962	10,805	6,096	833	502	480	2,997	682	602	2,242	2,246	1,608	1,095	953	2,661
1963	219	123	44	− 11	1	75	2	12	2	100	21	57	31	8
1964	642	411	6	41	31	240	61	32	147	177	87	50	90	91
1965	400	262	1	25	26	171	− 2	41	56	98	108	45	49	44
1966	241	147	− 5	26	− 15	85	26	30	− 20	33	134	6	19	69
1967	169	− 39	20	2	− 27	10	− 33	− 11	− 38	33	− 34	11	11	186
1968	155	− 47	− 2	45	30	−155	10	25	− 12	− 46	11	95	81	26
1969(1)	302	206	15	44	− 31	116	37	25	25	63	118	37	−21	80
Seasonally adjusted														
1967 1st quarter	83	26	1	5	− 4	25	− 6	5	− 8	15	19	15	− 2	44
2nd quarter	43	− 10	2	− 19	− 7	26	− 7	− 5	− 19	4	5	15	1	37
3rd quarter	− 33	− 25	19	19	− 12	− 36	− 4	− 11	− 4	3	− 24	−21	−10	23
4th quarter	76	− 30	− 2	− 3	− 4	− 5	− 16	—	− 7	11	− 34	2	22	82
1968 1st quarter	− 72	−100	9	− 11	− 2	− 80	− 7	− 9	− 9	− 32	− 59	49	7	− 28
2nd quarter	58	24	− 3	25	9	− 27	8	12	− 1	—	25	1	23	10
3rd quarter	38	7	− 13	14	7	− 7	1	5	− 13	7	13	5	12	14
4th quarter	131	22	5	17	16	− 41	8	17	11	− 21	32	40	39	30
1969 1st quarter	95	103	11	10	− 7	59	22	8	17	23	63	13	−14	− 7
2nd quarter	53	32	−10	8	− 3	33	− 2	6	19	—	13	− 3	− 6	30
3rd quarter	—	− 24	17	− 10	− 22	− 17	9	− 1	− 30	22	− 16	− 1	− 9	34
4th quarter(1)	154	95	− 3	36	1	41	8	12	19	18	58	28	8	23

(1) Provisional.

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Board of Trade

Gross domestic fixed capital formation

Analysis by sector and by type of asset

TABLE 7

£ million

	Total	Private sector (1)	Public sector(1)		Vehicles, ships and aircraft	Plant and machinery	Dwellings		Other new buildings and works(2)
			Public authorities	Public corporations			Private	Public	
At current prices									
1963	4,916	2,784	1,108	1,024	519	1,885	564	380	1,568
1964	5,854	3,274	1,393	1,187	634	2,161	696	514	1,849
1965	6,303	3,527	1,483	1,293	633	2,418	713	558	1,981
1966	6,710	3,577	1,678	1,455	606	2,709	673	654	2,068
1967	7,244	3,621	1,964	1,659	663	2,839	713	750	2,279
1968	7,857	4,061	2,164	1,632	879	2,924	755	819	2,480
1969(3)	7,924	4,236	2,226	1,480	841	2,953	675	828	2,645
1967 1st quarter ...	1,811	864	490	457	159	745	162	186	559
2nd quarter ...	1,763	933	465	365	179	685	180	180	539
3rd quarter ...	1,793	892	493	408	152	682	189	192	578
4th quarter ...	1,877	932	516	429	173	727	182	192	603
1968 1st quarter ...	1,969	920	574	475	194	762	184	211	618
2nd quarter ...	1,838	955	511	372	198	660	198	194	588
3rd quarter ...	1,922	1,009	525	388	215	692	188	209	618
4th quarter ...	2,128	1,177	554	397	272	810	185	205	656
1969 1st quarter ...	1,946	948	565	433	195	739	169	211	632
2nd quarter ...	1,871	1,043	498	330	219	680	179	183	610
3rd quarter ...	2,001	1,086	564	351	201	734	168	219	679
4th quarter(3)	2,124	1,159	599	366	226	800	159	215	724
Revalued at 1963 prices									
1963	4,916	2,784	1,108	1,024	519	1,885	564	380	1,568
1964	5,717	3,241	1,336	1,140	628	2,117	676	499	1,797
1965	5,949	3,365	1,371	1,213	614	2,266	672	526	1,871
1966	6,105	3,315	1,486	1,304	579	2,437	612	594	1,883
1967	6,508	3,345	1,691	1,472	628	2,540	635	669	2,036
1968	6,835	3,633	1,814	1,388	798	2,518	653	710	2,156
1969(3)	6,619	3,644	1,771	1,204	737	2,459	555	680	2,188
Unadjusted									
1967 1st quarter ...	1,638	803	429	406	152	663	147	168	508
2nd quarter ...	1,589	865	399	325	170	616	160	161	482
3rd quarter ...	1,613	822	427	364	143	614	168	172	516
4th quarter ...	1,668	855	436	377	163	647	160	168	530
1968 1st quarter ...	1,741	842	488	411	181	673	161	184	542
2nd quarter ...	1,597	858	424	315	181	566	171	168	511
3rd quarter ...	1,660	890	443	327	192	589	162	181	536
4th quarter ...	1,837	1,043	459	335	244	690	159	177	567
1969 1st quarter ...	1,655	835	461	359	174	627	143	177	534
2nd quarter ...	1,572	903	398	271	192	571	148	152	509
3rd quarter ...	1,656	922	450	284	175	610	137	178	556
4th quarter(3)	1,736	984	462	290	196	651	127	173	589
Seasonally adjusted									
1967 1st quarter ...	1,585	822	407	356	151	621	153	164	496
2nd quarter ...	1,666	874	423	369	168	660	156	170	512
3rd quarter ...	1,638	834	434	370	152	634	164	171	517
4th quarter ...	1,619	815	427	377	157	625	162	164	511
1968 1st quarter ...	1,692	870	458	364	183	635	165	179	530
2nd quarter ...	1,677	872	450	355	181	604	170	178	544
3rd quarter ...	1,690	905	453	332	203	611	159	180	537
4th quarter ...	1,776	986	453	337	231	668	159	173	545
1969 1st quarter ...	1,614	859	433	322	173	593	148	173	527
2nd quarter ...	1,640	914	424	302	189	605	144	161	541
3rd quarter ...	1,683	937	459	287	187	630	135	177	554
4th quarter(3)	1,682	934	455	293	188	631	128	169	566

(1) Includes purchases *less* sales of land and existing buildings.
(2) Includes transfer costs of land and buildings.
(3) Provisional.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Gross domestic fixed capital formation

Analysis by industry group

TABLE 7 (*continued*)

£ million

	Total	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication	Distributive trades		Other industries(1)	Dwellings	Public services	Transfer costs of land and buildings
						Wholesale	Retail				
At current prices											
1963	4,916	90	1,055	647	433	115	212	745	944	618	57
1964	5,854	102	1,216	757	517	136	247	859	1,210	751	59
1965	6,303	106	1,401	823	549	140	235	922	1,271	798	58
1966	6,710	126	1,504	979	568	130	217	932	1,327	869	58
1967	7,244	147	1,465	1,055	685	152	212	976	1,463	1,027	62
1968	7,857	137	1,565	900	902	157	264	1,109	1,574	1,183	66
1969(2)	7,942	136	1,724	787	816	158	287	1,223	1,503	1,241	67
1967 1st quarter	1,811	47	354	297	175	33	52	244	348	247	14
2nd quarter	1,763	30	370	237	172	38	50	250	360	239	17
3rd quarter	1,793	35	354	258	157	38	52	238	381	265	15
4th quarter	1,877	35	387	263	181	43	58	244	374	276	16
1968 1st quarter	1,969	42	342	275	209	39	63	275	395	313	16
2nd quarter	1,838	30	355	202	198	37	62	273	392	273	16
3rd quarter	1,922	32	388	216	213	36	67	264	397	292	17
4th quarter	2,128	33	480	207	282	45	72	297	390	305	17
1969 1st quarter	1,946	38	361	246	199	37	69	294	380	306	16
2nd quarter	1,871	31	410	168	199	39	66	301	362	278	17
3rd quarter	2,001	33	451	182	197	40	71	301	387	322	17
4th quarter(2)	2,124	34	502	191	221	42	81	327	374	335	17
Revalued at 1963 prices											
1963	4,916	90	1,055	647	433	115	212	745	944	618	57
1964	5,717	101	1,190	738	503	134	243	844	1,175	730	59
1965	5,949	102	1,309	775	514	133	226	880	1,198	754	58
1966	6,105	118	1,351	876	513	120	204	866	1,206	793	58
1967	6,508	135	1,310	934	615	139	197	894	1,304	919	61
1968	6,835	121	1,349	767	779	138	238	984	1,363	1,031	65
1969(2)	6,619	115	1,428	643	672	133	251	1,048	1,235	1,028	66
Unadjusted											
1967 1st quarter	1,638	43	314	263	159	31	49	225	316	225	13
2nd quarter	1,589	28	333	210	156	35	46	230	321	213	17
3rd quarter	1,613	32	318	229	141	34	48	218	340	238	15
4th quarter	1,668	32	345	232	159	39	54	221	327	243	16
1968 1st quarter	1,741	38	302	240	183	35	58	249	345	276	15
2nd quarter	1,597	26	306	171	170	32	56	243	339	238	16
3rd quarter	1,660	28	332	181	182	32	60	231	343	254	17
4th quarter	1,837	29	409	175	244	39	64	261	336	263	17
1969 1st quarter	1,655	33	306	207	165	32	61	256	320	260	15
2nd quarter	1,572	26	343	138	165	33	58	259	300	233	17
3rd quarter	1,656	28	371	147	163	33	62	256	315	264	17
4th quarter(2)	1,736	28	408	151	179	35	70	277	300	271	17
Seasonally adjusted											
1967 1st quarter	1,585	35	327	228	151	32	49	221	317	211	14
2nd quarter	1,666	32	344	244	161	35	49	229	326	229	17
3rd quarter	1,638	34	321	233	147	36	49	228	335	240	15
4th quarter	1,619	34	318	229	156	36	50	216	326	239	15
1968 1st quarter	1,692	32	316	209	175	37	57	245	344	260	17
2nd quarter	1,677	29	317	198	180	32	60	242	348	256	15
3rd quarter	1,690	30	337	186	191	33	61	241	339	256	16
4th quarter	1,776	30	379	174	233	36	60	256	332	259	17
1969 1st quarter	1,614	28	319	182	157	34	60	251	321	245	17
2nd quarter	1,640	29	355	161	172	33	62	257	305	250	16
3rd quarter	1,683	29	374	150	170	34	64	268	312	266	16
4th quarter(2)	1,682	29	380	150	173	32	65	272	297	267	17

(1) Covers agriculture, forestry and fishing, construction, road haulage contracting and other service industries. (2) Provisional.

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Board of Trade

Fixed capital expenditure in manufacturing industry

TABLE 8

£ million

	Analysis by industry group									Total manufacturing industry	Analysis by type of asset		
	Food, drink and tobacco	Mineral oil refining	Chemicals, paint and printing ink	Metal manufacture	Engineering, shipbuilding and metal goods	Vehicles	Textiles, leather and clothing	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries		New building work	Vehicles	Plant and machinery
At current prices													
1964	165·8	28·3	174·3	117·2	293·6	88·0	119·7	92·7	136·1	1,215·7	300·5	85·1	830·0
1965	178·1	29·1	227·9	120·7	325·5	110·2	142·2	105·7	162·1	1,401·4	337·8	91·2	972·4
1966	178·9	57·2	261·6	129·4	340·3	126·6	143·1	96·1	170·9	1,504·0	338·9	89·7	1,075·4
1967	206·5	88·4	218·5	132·9	332·9	128·0	117·6	93·8	146·6	1,465·1	300·3	91·6	1,073·2
1968	236·8	107·4	235·0	114·9	351·0	114·2	149·4	92·9	162·8	1,564·4	322·3	107·3	1,134·8
1969										1,723·8	388·2	116·7	1,218·9
1967 1st quarter	50·7	14·9	52·7	33·5	79·3	30·5	32·6	23·1	36·4	353·7	75·1	21·3	257·3
2nd quarter	50·6	22·4	60·8	34·7	84·6	33·2	28·2	23·4	32·5	370·4	75·3	24·1	271·0
3rd quarter	51·9	23·9	45·7	38·0	78·0	30·0	27·0	23·5	36·4	354·4	70·0	22·9	261·5
4th quarter	53·3	27·1	59·4	26·8	90·9	34·4	29·8	23·8	41·3	386·8	79·9	23·3	283·6
1968 1st quarter	50·2	18·5	49·8	32·3	78·6	25·1	33·2	21·2	32·6	341·5	64·3	26·8	250·4
2nd quarter	57·0	25·3	55·6	28·1	77·7	26·6	28·6	19·6	36·0	354·5	74·4	26·2	253·9
3rd quarter	63·6	25·4	53·1	30·4	85·9	33·2	35·7	21·0	40·0	388·3	86·1	25·5	276·7
4th quarter	66·0	38·2	76·5	24·1	108·8	29·3	51·9	31·1	54·2	480·1	97·5	28·8	353·8
1969 1st quarter	53·9	20·3	54·2	28·4	79·2	23·9	44·5	19·0	37·5	360·9	80·3	28·0	252·6
2nd quarter	62·1	20·3	64·2	33·1	84·0	33·5	42·8	25·4	44·3	409·7	89·0	32·8	287·9
3rd quarter	63·0	20·9	67·1	43·4	92·4	42·4	44·3	27·0	50·6	450·9	102·4	27·7	320·8
4th quarter										502·3	116·5	28·2	357·6
Revalued at 1963 prices													
1964	162·2	28·1	170·8	114·4	287·2	86·1	117·1	90·8	133·0	1,189·7	291·4	85·1	813·1
1965	166·7	27·0	213·0	112·8	301·9	103·7	132·8	98·8	151·9	1,308·6	319·2	88·1	901·3
1966	161·6	50·2	231·1	116·0	307·7	115·2	129·1	86·2	153·8	1,350·9	307·8	84·8	958·3
1967	186·3	77·2	192·0	116·4	300·6	116·4	105·8	83·7	131·6	1,310·0	267·7	87·8	954·1
1968	204·3	90·5	199·0	99·2	306·1	100·1	129·5	80·5	140·3	1,349·5	279·7	96·5	973·3
1969										1,428·2	320·2	101·2	1,006·8
Seasonally adjusted													
1967 1st quarter	46·4	15·2	47·4	30·3	74·6	28·6	28·6	21·0	34·4	326·5	73·9	19·5	233·1
2nd quarter	47·0	19·6	55·1	31·9	79·1	31·0	26·6	21·9	32·3	344·5	70·7	22·1	251·7
3rd quarter	46·1	20·8	42·8	29·5	74·5	28·4	24·8	21·6	32·1	320·6	62·1	23·0	235·4
4th quarter	46·8	21·6	46·7	24·7	72·4	28·4	25·8	19·2	32·8	318·4	61·0	23·2	234·2
1968 1st quarter	45·0	18·9	45·0	31·5	73·6	23·4	28·8	19·4	30·7	316·3	62·0	24·1	230·2
2nd quarter	49·7	20·9	48·5	24·5	70·2	24·1	26·4	17·8	34·7	316·8	68·2	22·0	226·6
3rd quarter	53·9	20·9	47·7	22·3	78·6	29·5	31·3	19·2	33·6	337·0	75·0	23·7	238·3
4th quarter	55·7	29·8	57·8	20·9	83·7	23·1	43·0	24·1	41·3	379·4	74·5	26·7	278·2
1969 1st quarter	46·2	20·3	47·1	26·6	70·8	21·4	36·3	16·6	33·5	318·8	73·7	23·7	221·4
2nd quarter	52·4	16·4	54·6	28·2	73·5	29·4	37·5	22·1	41·3	355·4	78·1	26·5	250·8
3rd quarter	51·1	16·4	58·4	30·9	80·9	36·3	36·7	23·4	40·4	374·5	83·4	25·2	265·9
4th quarter										379·5	85·0	25·8	268·7

Source: Ministry of Technol

Fixed capital expenditure in the distributive and service industries

TABLE 9

£ million

	Analysis by industry group				Total distributive and service industries	Analysis by type of asset		
	Wholesale distribution	Retail distribution	Shipping	Other industries(1)		New building work	Vehicles	Plant and machinery
At current prices								
1964	136	247	123	724	1,230	445	409	377
1965	140	235	100	781	1,256	462	390	403
1966	130	217	99	792	1,238	453	393	392
1967	152	212	140	824	1,328	473	436	419
1968	157	264	247	933	1,601	508	584	509
1969 (2)			213		1,697	568	591	538
1967 1st quarter	33	52	29	207	321	113	102	106
2nd quarter	38	49	44	212	343	117	124	102
3rd quarter	38	52	25	199	314	114	96	104
4th quarter	43	59	42	206	350	129	114	107
1968 1st quarter	39	63	41	231	374	123	125	126
2nd quarter	37	62	43	231	373	127	126	120
3rd quarter	36	67	59	220	382	124	139	119
4th quarter	45	72	104	251	472	134	194	144
1969 1st quarter	37	69	36	248	390	132	130	128
2nd quarter	39	66	52	257	414	139	151	124
3rd quarter	40	71	55	258	424	144	143	137
4th quarter (2)			70		469	153	167	149
Revalued at 1963 prices								
1964	134	243	124	711	1,212	432	408	372
1965	133	226	99	748	1,206	436	384	386
1966	120	204	95	739	1,158	411	379	368
1967	139	197	133	759	1,228	421	416	391
1968	138	238	228	832	1,436	440	536	460
1969 (2)			188		1,468	469	523	476
Seasonally adjusted								
1967 1st quarter	32	49	31	189	301	105	100	96
2nd quarter	35	48	43	196	322	107	116	99
3rd quarter	36	49	26	194	305	104	99	102
4th quarter	36	51	33	180	300	105	101	94
1968 1st quarter	37	57	44	207	345	109	123	113
2nd quarter	32	60	41	206	339	112	115	112
3rd quarter	33	61	59	205	358	110	136	112
4th quarter	36	60	84	214	394	109	162	123
1969 1st quarter	34	60	36	214	344	115	119	110
2nd quarter	33	62	47	221	363	118	130	115
3rd quarter	34	64	54	232	384	120	137	127
4th quarter (2)			51		377	116	137	124

(1) Construction, road passenger transport, insurance, banking, finance, professional, scientific and miscellaneous services. (2) Provisional.

Source: Board of Trade

II. POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

De facto or home population

TABLE 10

Thousands

	United Kingdom			England and Wales			Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Census figures												
1931...	46,038	22,060	23,979	39,952	19,133	20,819	4,843	2,326	2,517	1,243(1)	601(1)	642(1)
1951...	50,225	24,118	26,107	43,758	21,016	22,742	5,096	2,434	2,662	1,371	668	703
1961...	52,709	25,481	27,228	46,105	22,304	23,801	5,179	2,483	2,697	1,425	694	731
1966...	53,788	26,044	27,745	47,136	22,841	24,295	5,168	2,479	2,689	1,485	724	761
Mid-year estimates												
1951...	50,290	24,152	26,139	43,815	21,044	22,771	5,102	2,439	2,664	1,373	669	704
1952...	50,431	24,217	26,214	43,955	21,110	22,845	5,101	2,437	2,664	1,375	670	705
1953...	50,592	24,317	26,276	44,109	21,206	22,903	5,100	2,436	2,664	1,384	675	709
1954...	50,765	24,401	26,364	44,274	21,288	22,986	5,104	2,436	2,667	1,387	676	711
1955...	50,947	24,510	26,436	44,441	21,389	23,052	5,111	2,441	2,670	1,394	679	715
1956...	51,184	24,645	26,539	44,667	21,517	23,150	5,120	2,446	2,674	1,397	681	716
1957...	51,430	24,779	26,651	44,907	21,648	23,259	5,125	2,448	2,677	1,398	681	717
1958...	51,652	24,889	26,764	45,109	21,744	23,365	5,141	2,459	2,682	1,402	684	719
1959...	51,956	25,044	26,912	45,386	21,885	23,501	5,163	2,472	2,690	1,408	686	722
1960...	52,372	25,272	27,100	45,775	22,097	23,678	5,178	2,482	2,696	1,420	692	728
1961...	52,807	25,525	27,283	46,196	22,344	23,852	5,184	2,485	2,699	1,427	696	732
1962...	53,314	25,826	27,489	46,682	22,631	24,051	5,197	2,495	2,702	1,435	700	736
1963...	53,637	25,993	27,643	46,986	22,789	24,197	5,205	2,499	2,705	1,446	705	741
1964...	54,008	26,193	27,816	47,334	22,982	24,362	5,206	2,500	2,707	1,458	711	747
1965...	54,361	26,359	28,002	47,688	23,146	24,542	5,204	2,497	2,707	1,469	716	753
1966...	54,654	26,505	28,149	47,985	23,295	24,690	5,191	2,490	2,701	1,478	720	758
1967...	54,978	26,681	28,298	48,301	23,465	24,836	5,187	2,489	2,698	1,491	727	764
1968...	55,283	26,852	28,431	48,593	23,630	24,963	5,188	2,489	2,698	1,502	733	769
1969...	55,534	26,984	28,550	48,827	23,752	25,075	5,195	2,494	2,701	1,512	738	775

(1) Estimated.

Sources: Registrars General

Age distribution of estimated population at 30 June 1969

TABLE 11

Thousands

	Total population			*De facto* or home population										
	United Kingdom			United Kingdom			England and Wales				Scotland		Northern Ireland	
							Total		Wales					
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
All ages ...	55,640	27,087	28,553	55,534·0	26,983·7	28,550·3	23,752·0	25,074·8	1,328·3	1,396·2	2,493·9	2,700·8	737·8	774·7
Years of age:														
0–14 ...	13,311	6,827	6,483	13,310·6	6,827·2	6,483·4	5,895·9	5,600·1	324·5	310·2	697·9	663·0	233·4	220·3
15–64 ...	35,295	17,580	17,715	35,189·2	17,477·1	17,712·0	15,478·7	15,599·1	858·9	865·7	1,560·6	1,653·7	437·9	459·2
65 and over	7,034	2,679	4,355	7,034·3	2,679·4	4,354·9	2,377·4	3,875·6	144·9	220·3	235·5	384·1	66·5	95·2
Under 5 ...	4,732	2,427	2,305	4,731·9	2,426·7	2,305·2	2,105·8	2,002·4	112·1	106·5	237·7	224·7	83·2	78·1
5–9 ...	4,598	2,358	2,240	4,597·7	2,358·2	2,239·5	2,037·2	1,934·7	114·8	110·2	241·3	229·7	79·7	75·1
10–14 ...	3,981	2,042	1,939	3,981·0	2,042·3	1,938·7	1,752·9	1,663·0	97·6	93·5	218·9	208·6	70·5	67·1
15–19 ...	3,882	1,976	1,906	3,869·0	1,963·1	1,905·9	1,701·8	1,652·1	98·8	95·2	197·0	191·8	64·3	62·0
20–24 ...	4,308	2,184	2,124	4,265·8	2,143·0	2,122·7	1,892·0	1,868·6	101·5	97·7	196·9	198·2	54·1	55·9
25–29 ...	3,532	1,791	1,741	3,510·8	1,770·2	1,740·7	1,566·6	1,532·8	82·0	80·3	158·5	161·0	45·1	46·9
30–34 ...	3,344	1,708	1,636	3,332·2	1,696·5	1,635·7	1,513·2	1,443·1	81·4	76·4	141·6	149·7	41·7	42·9
35–39 ...	3,308	1,690	1,618	3,299·0	1,680·7	1,618·2	1,496·1	1,424·5	80·8	77·2	144·1	151·2	40·5	42·5
40–44 ...	3,406	1,713	1,693	3,401·2	1,708·4	1,692·8	1,518·6	1,492·0	87·1	85·6	148·9	157·2	40·9	43·6
45–49 ...	3,775	1,875	1,900	3,772·7	1,872·2	1,900·5	1,667·4	1,680·8	95·3	96·5	161·7	174·2	43·1	45·5
50–54 ...	3,143	1,530	1,613	3,142·3	1,529·0	1,613·2	1,360·4	1,425·3	75·8	79·0	131·1	147·6	37·5	40·3
55–59 ...	3,439	1,644	1,795	3,439·1	1,643·5	1,795·5	1,457·2	1,587·5	80·5	89·9	148·0	166·3	38·3	41·7
60–64 ...	3,158	1,471	1,687	3,157·3	1,470·4	1,686·8	1,305·4	1,492·4	75·7	87·9	132·6	156·5	32·4	37·9
65–69 ...	2,624	1,152	1,472	2,624·0	1,152·1	1,471·9	1,023·0	1,301·2	64·3	78·3	103·0	137·1	26·1	33·6
70–74 ...	1,908	725	1,184	1,908·3	724·7	1,183·6	642·4	1,050·2	39·6	61·0	63·4	106·7	18·9	26·7
75–79 ...	1,309	452	857	1,309·4	452·2	857·1	402·1	765·7	23·1	42·8	38·5	73·5	11·6	17·9
80–84 ...	765	225	530	764·7	234·9	529·8	208·0	475·3	12·1	24·0	20·5	43·8	6·4	10·7
85 and over	428	115	312	427·9	115·4	312·4	101·9	283·2	5·8	14·2	10·0	22·9	3·5	6·3

Sources: Registrars General

Births and marriages registered

TABLE 12

Thousands

	Live births					Marriages				
	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland
		Total	Wales				Total	Wales		
1935–38 average	722·7	609·0	38·0	88·3	25·5	403·3	356·3	20·5	38·2	8·8
1963	992·3	856·2	47·0	102·7	33·4	401·3	351·3	19·5	39·7	10·2
1964	1,012·9	874·2	47·5	104·4	34·3	410·2	359·3	19·9	40·2	10·6
1965	1,000·0	865·4	46·5	100·7	33·9	422·1	371·1	19·9	40·5	10·5
1966	978·7	849·0	44·9	96·5	33·2	437·1	384·5	20·7	41·9	10·7
1967	960·2	830·6	43·5	96·2	33·4	439·1	386·1	20·7	42·1	10·9
1968	949·2	821·2	44·3	94·8	33·2	463·0	407·8	22·4	44·0	11·2
1967 1st quarter	253·1	219·5	11·5	25·3	8·3	117·5	104·3	5·6	10·6	2·6
2nd quarter	248·2	214·7	11·1	24·5	9·0	80·6	70·1	3·5	8·3	2·2
3rd quarter	237·3	205·7	10·8	23·2	8·4	143·3	127·0	6·7	12·2	4·1
4th quarter	221·6	190·7	10·1	23·2	7·7	97·6	84·6	4·9	11·0	2·0
1968 1st quarter	248·7	215·6	11·6	24·5	8·6	131·3	118·4	6·4	10·3	2·6
2nd quarter	240·0	207·7	10·9	23·9	8·4	77·5	66·6	3·5	8·7	2·2
3rd quarter	239·8	207·7	11·3	23·6	8·5	145·9	128·9	7·0	13·2	4·1
4th quarter	220·7	190·3	10·6	22·7	7·7	108·0	94·2	5·4	11·5	2·3
1969 1st quarter	244·9	213·2	11·4	23·6	8·1	88·1	77·9	4·2	8·4	1·8
2nd quarter	237·6	206·1	11·0	22·9	8·6	112·6	99·4	5·3	10·3	2·9
3rd quarter	229·3	198·9	10·7	22·2	8·2	152·0	133·2	7·4	14·2	4·6
4th quarter(2)	208·5	179·4	9·7	21·5	7·6				10·4	

Sources: Registrars General

Deaths registered(1)

TABLE 13

Thousands

	Total					Infants under one year				
	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland	United Kingdom	England and Wales		Scotland	Northern Ireland
		Total	Wales				Total	Wales		
1935–38 average	574·9	490·4	32·5	66·0	18·5	43·18	34·35	2·32	6·82	2·01
1963	654·4	572·9	34·8	65·5	15·9	21·57	18·04	1·16	2·62	0·90
1964	611·0	534·7	32·7	61·0	15·4	20·87	17·44	1·15	2·51	0·91
1965	628·0	549·4	33·1	62·9	15·6	19·58	16·40	0·94	2·33	0·85
1966	643·7	536·6	34·6	63·7	16·4	19·24	16·15	0·91	2·24	0·85
1967	616·6	542·5	33·1	59·5	14·6	18·07	15·27	0·81	2·02	0·78
1968	656·0	576·8	34·8	63·3	15·9	17·75	14·98	0·87	1·97	0·80
1967 1st quarter	165·1	145·3	8·7	15·8	4·0	4·78	4·05	0·23	0·53	0·20
2nd quarter	148·6	130·2	8·1	14·7	3·7	4·52	3·78	0·19	0·52	0·23
3rd quarter	135·2	118·6	7·4	13·4	3·2	4·09	3·48	0·18	0·44	0·17
4th quarter	167·8	148·5	8·9	15·6	3·7	4·68	3·96	0·22	0·54	0·18
1968 1st quarter	205·5	181·4	10·8	19·3	4·8	4·97	4·26	0·27	0·51	0·20
2nd quarter	149·9	131·3	8·3	14·8	3·8	4·33	3·64	0·20	0·49	0·20
3rd quarter	138·1	121·1	7·3	13·5	3·5	4·00	3·36	0·20	0·44	0·20
4th quarter	162·5	142·9	8·5	15·8	3·8	4·46	3·73	0·20	0·53	0·20
1969 1st quarter	191·5	168·5	10·3	18·1	4·9	4·84	4·10	0·24	0·52	0·22
2nd quarter	154·3	135·2	8·4	15·2	3·9	4·20	3·54	0·19	0·45	0·21
3rd quarter	138·3	120·9	7·5	14·0	3·4	3·72	3·13	0·18	0·41	0·18
4th quarter(2)	174·4	153·8	9·4	16·5	4·1	4·20	3·50	0·18	0·52	0·18

(1) Excluding stillbirths.
(2) Provisional.

Sources: Registrars General

Distribution of working population

TABLE 14

Thousands

	Unadjusted								Seasonally adjusted	
	Working population			H.M. Forces and Women's Services	Wholly unemployed	Total in civil employment	Employers and self-employed	Employees in employment	Total working population	Employees in employment
	Total	Males	Females							
United Kingdom										
1961 ...	25,344	16,755	8,589	474	287	24,583	1,760	22,824	25,383	22,815
1962 At June	25,620	16,896	8,724	442	406	24,772	1,747	23,025	25,659	23,017
1963 ...	25,718	16,942	8,776	427	496	24,794	1,735	23,060	25,755	23,047
1964 ...	25,849	16,938	8,911	424	349	25,076	1,720	23,356	25,885	23,343
1965 March ...	25,997	16,924	9,074	424	376	25,198	1,712	23,486	26,071	23,592
June ...	26,048	16,996	9,052	423	299	25,327	1,706	23,621	26,083	23,606
September	26,142	16,969	9,172	421	342	25,389	1,702	23,687	26,078	23,615
December	26,224	17,046	9,178	420	350	25,454	1,699	23,756	26,179	23,737
1966 March ...	26,122	16,919	9,203	418	336	25,369	1,695	23,674	26,205	23,792
June ...	26,175	16,950	9,225	417	281	25,476	1,693	23,784	26,210	23,776
September	26,290	16,982	9,309	416	353	25,521	1,709	23,812	26,217	23,719
December	26,141	16,951	9,189	419	503	25,219	1,725	23,494	26,097	23,477
1967 March ...	25,926	16,764	9,162	419	564	24,943	1,742	23,202	26,013	23,321
June ...	25,985	16,852	9,133	417	503	25,065	1,761	23,305	26,022	23,303
September	26,124	16,940	9,184	413	563	25,148	1,761	23,387	26,042	23,283
December	25,982	16,862	9,120	412	596	24,974	1,761	23,213	25,941	23,200
1968 March ...	25,815	16,662	9,153	407	608	24,800	1,758	23,042	25,904	23,164
June ...	25,825	16,679	9,146	400	542	24,883	1,758	23,125	25,858	23,122
September	25,910	16,719	9,191	395	570	24,945	1,757	23,188	25,827	23,080
December	25,852	16,713	9,139	390	578	24,884	1,756	23,127	25,813	23,114
1969 March ...	25,741	16,586	9,155	384	604	24,753	1,756	22,997	25,831	23,120
June (1)	25,739	16,521	9,218	380	518	24,841	1,756	23,085	25,711	23,083
Great Britain										
1961 ...	24,773	16,366	8,407	474	255	24,044	1,672	22,373	24,810	22,362
1962 At June	25,046	16,507	8,539	442	372	24,232	1,660	22,572	25,084	22,563
1963 ...	25,138	16,548	8,590	427	461	24,250	1,648	22,603	25,174	22,591
1964 ...	25,268	16,546	8,722	424	317	24,527	1,635	22,892	25,303	22,878
1965 March ...	25,410	16,530	8,880	424	343	24,643	1,626	23,017	25,482	23,121
June ...	25,463	16,604	8,859	423	270	24,770	1,623	23,147	25,497	23,131
September	25,553	16,576	8,977	421	304	24,829	1,620	23,209	25,491	23,139
December	25,636	16,654	8,982	420	319	24,897	1,617	23,280	25,592	23,262
1966 March ...	25,532	16,526	9,006	418	307	24,807	1,614	23,194	25,613	23,310
June ...	25,583	16,556	9,027	417	253	24,913	1,612	23,301	25,617	23,292
September	25,695	16,587	9,108	416	324	24,955	1,629	23,325	25,624	23,234
December	25,549	16,559	8,990	419	467	24,662	1,647	23,016	25,506	23,000
1967 March ...	25,335	16,372	8,963	419	525	24,391	1,664	22,728	25,420	22,845
June ...	25,391	16,457	8,935	417	466	24,509	1,681	22,828	25,427	22,825
September	25,525	16,543	8,982	413	526	24,586	1,681	22,905	25,445	22,803
December	25,385	16,464	8,921	412	559	24,414	1,681	22,733	25,345	22,721
1968 March ...	25,221	16,268	8,952	407	572	24,242	1,681	22,561	25,308	22,681
June ...	25,233	16,285	8,948	400	506	24,326	1,681	22,645	25,265	22,641
September	25,311	16,326	8,986	395	535	24,382	1,681	22,701	25,230	22,595
December	25,258	16,322	8,936	390	540	24,328	1,681	22,647	25,220	22,635
1969 March ...	25,146	16,194	8,952	384	566	24,196	1,681	22,515	25,234	22,636
June (1)	25,144	16,128	9,016	380	483	24,281	1,681	22,600	25,175	22,597

(1) Provisional (See footnote(3) to Table 15).

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment: All industries

At mid-June each year

TABLE 15 — **Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1958** — Thousands

	1962	1963	1964(1) (a)	1964(1) (b)	1965	1966(2) (a)	1966(2) (b)	1967	1968	1969(3)
United Kingdom										
Total employees in employment ...	23,025	23,060		23,356	23,621		23,784	23,305	23,125	
Males	14,762	14,771		14,899	15,015		15,000	14,651	14,445	
Females...	8,262	8,288		8,458	8,606		8,784	8,653	8,680	
of whom:										
Total, index of production industries(4)	11,554	11,426	11,606	11,639	11,775	11,791	11,852	11,455	11,254	11,174
Agriculture, forestry and fishing ...	579	566	538	540	497	477	475	443	423	
Mining and quarrying...	715	686	659	661	628	580	578	554	489	451
Manufacturing industries	8,893	8,753	8,881	8,908	9,028	9,055	9,163	8,879	8,790	8,828
Construction	1,552	1,582(5)	1,656	1,659	1,700	1,725	1,681	1,590	1,554	1,491
Gas, electricity and water	394	404	410	411	418	431	431	433	421	403
Transport and communication ...	1,741	1,711	1,693	1,665	1,655	1,629	1,635	1,629	1,610	
Distributive trades	2,930	2,965	2,985	2,998	3,023	3,035	2,987	2,857	2,832	
Insurance, banking and finance ...	584	611	630	632	645	648	648	658	675	
Professional and scientific services ...	2,193	2,263	2,353	2,364	2,463	2,573	2,569	2,681	2,753	
Catering, hotels, etc....	597	584	618	621	621	618	617	591	580	
Miscellaneous services (excluding catering, hotels, etc.)	1,492	1,520	1,573	1,579	1,604	1,629	1,619	1,562	1,558	
National government service ...	541	559	541	554	566	579	578	588	607	
Local government service	785	815(5)	765	767	772	804	803	840	834	
Great Britain										
Total employees in employment ...	22,572	22,603		22,892	23,147		23,301	22,828	22,645	
Males	14,480	14,486		14,611	14,722		14,704	14,358	14,151	
Females...	8,093	8,116		8,281	8,425		8,597	8,470	8,494	
of whom:										
Total, index of production industries(4)	11,329	11,201	11,376	11,408	11,538	11,549	11,610	11,221	11,017	10,934
Agriculture, forestry and fishing ...	567	554	527	528	486	467	464	433	413	
Mining and quarrying...	711	682	655	657	625	576	574	551	486	448
Manufacturing industries	8,718	8,582	8,704	8,731	8,847	8,868	8,976	8,701	8,613	8,647
Construction	1,512	1,540(5)	1,614	1,617	1,656	1,681	1,637	1,546	1,506	1,444
Gas, electricity and water	387	397	402	403	411	423	423	424	413	395
Transport and communication ...	1,713	1,683	1,665	1,637	1,628	1,603	1,609	1,603	1,584	
Distributive trades	2,870	2,904	2,925	2,937	2,962	2,974	2,926	2,798	2,774	
Insurance, banking and finance ...	576	603	621	623	636	639	639	648	665	
Professional and scientific services ...	2,146	2,214	2,302	2,313	2,408	2,517	2,513	2,620	2,690	
Catering, hotels, etc....	588	574	608	611	612	609	607	582	571	
Miscellaneous services (excluding catering, hotels, etc.)	1,464	1,490	1,542	1,549	1,574	1,598	1,589	1,532	1,529	
National government service ...	520	537	519	532	545	557	556	565	584	
Local government service	772	802(5)	752	754	758	789	788	825	818	

(1) The figures for June 1964(a) and the corresponding figures for earlier months are not strictly comparable with those for June 1964(b) and later months which, for Great Britain, are on the revised basis of calculation (see pages 110–112 of the March 1966 issue of the *Ministry of Labour Gazette*.)

(2) Between June 1966 and June 1967 the industrial classifications of many establishments in Great Britain were corrected. The estimates for June 1967 take account of these reclassifications and the figures for individual industries are therefore not comparable with those published for previous mid-years. Two sets of estimates are given for June 1966 i.e. (a) excluding the effects of reclassifications (for comparison with earlier estimates) and (b) including the effects of reclassifications (for comparison with subsequent estimates).

(3) Figures after June 1968 are provisional, being subject to revision after the final figures for the mid-1969 count of national insurance cards become available.

(4) Orders II-XVIII of the *Standard Industrial Classification* (1958)

(5) Owing to reclassification, figures up to 1963 are not strictly comparable with those from 1964 onwards. See page 59 of the February 1965 issue of the *Ministry of Labour Gazette*.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment: Index of production industries(1)

TABLE 16 — Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1958 — Thousands

		Index of production industries			Mining and quarrying	Total manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering and electrical goods	Shipbuilding and marine engineering
		Total	Males	Females							
United Kingdom											
1964	... ...	11,638·7	8,599·9	3,039·0	660·6	8,908·1	832·2	510·5	622·3	2,212·7	215·9
1965	... ...	11,775·3	8,714·9	3,060·3	628·3	9,028·3	838·8	517·5	632·4	2,286·9	218·2
	(a)	11,790·8	8,703·8	3,087·0	580·1	9,054·9	840·8	527·4	619·2	2,337·4	214·0
1966(2)	At June										
	(b)	11,852·1	8,747·3	3,104·8	578·0	9,163·1	861·7	527·3	623·0	2,376·9	213·6
1967	... ...	11,455·4	8,492·7	2,962·7	554·2	8,878·5	852·7	518·1	591·8	2,348·0	208·0
1968	... ...	11,253·9	8,312·9	2,941·0	489·3	8,790·2	835·4	500·3	580·1	2,309·6	197·4
1968	October ...	11,311·9	8,321·8	2,990·1	470·3	8,878·5	852·9	504·9	585·2	2,326·4	195·3
	November ...	11,327·0	8,331·0	2,996·0	467·5	8,890·4	854·5	505·4	586·3	2,329·0	194·2
	December ...	11,318·7	8,323·1	2,995·6	464·3	8,902·2	854·6	505·4	587·6	2,333·6	195·6
1969	January ...	11,226·2	8,266·5	2,959·7	461·7	8,843·4	838·7	503·1	586·8	2,321·7	194·5
	February ...	11,216·7	8,251·9	2,964·8	459·9	8,847·8	833·4	503·7	588·2	2,325·8	194·7
	March ...	11,194·4	8,234·8	2,959·6	458·8	8,844·4	831·0	504·2	589·7	2,327·6	196·0
	April ...	11,206·4	8,239·5	2,966·9	456·5	8,858·3	835·7	506·1	590·0	2,329·4	195·1
	May	11,201·5	8,233·8	2,967·7	453·8	8,847·6	837·2	505·7	588·9	2,324·6	195·7
	June... ...	11,173·9	8,216·8	2,957·1	451·2	8,828·4	840·4	505·0	588·5	2,321·0	194 9
	July	11,190·5	8,232·0	2,958·5	448·4	8,858·2	860·9	509·9	589·9	2,324·6	194·1
	August ...	11,205·9	8,242·3	2,963·6	445·7	8,875·2	863·4	512·0	590·2	2,329·7	193·7
	September...	11,191·4	8,222·6	2,968·8	444·2	8,879·1	853·2	511·1	591·1	2,342·5	194·5
	October ...	11,207·7	8,216·7	2,990·9	441·8	8,905·1	859·8	513·5	592·1	2,351·1	195·4
	November ...	11,204·1	8,210·8	2,993·3	439·9	8,910·6	860·6	513·7	593·0	2,358·4	196·8
	December ...	11,175·5	8,189·5	2,985·9	438·7	8,910·4	858·0	514·1	593·9	2.364·0	197·4
1970	January ...	11,063·9	8,123·7	2,940·2	437·2	8,831·4	838·3	509·9	591·0	2,355·8	195·0
	February ...										
	March ...										
Great Britain											
1964	... ...	11,408·3	8,448·9	2,959·6	656·8	8,731·4	804·6	507·7	621·8	2,187·2	203·8
1965	... ...	11,537·8	8,557·8	2,980·0	624·5	8,846·7	810·1	514·9	631·9	2,260·1	204·5
	(a)	11 548·8	8,543·5	3,005·3	576·3	8,868·2	811·2	524·6	618·8	2,308·2	200·5
1966(2)	At June ...										
	(b)	11,610·1	8,587·0	3,023·1	574·2	8,976·4	832·1	524·5	622·6	2,347·7	200·1
1967	... ...	11,220·7	8,333·5	2,887·2	550·5	8,700·5	824·2	515·2	591·4	2,319·6	196·8
1968	... ...	11,017·3	8,151·3	2,866·0	485·9	8,613·1	806·9	497·2	579·7	2,281·0	188·1
1968	October ...	11,071·4	8,159·4	2,912·0	467·0	8,698·1	824·3	501·7	584·7	2,297·1	185·9
	November ...	11,087·3	8,168·9	2,918·4	464·2	8,710·6	825·9	502·3	585·8	2,299·8	184·8
	December ...	11,080·2	8,161·6	2,918·6	461·0	8,723·4	825·9	502·5	587·1	2,304·5	186·2
1969	January ...	10,990·0	8,107·1	2,882·9	458·5	8,665·0	810·3	500·1	586·3	2,292·5	185·2
	February ...	10,980·6	8,092·5	2,888·1	456·7	8,669·3	805·2	500·7	587·8	2,296·5	185·4
	March ...	10,957·7	8,074·6	2,883·1	455·5	8,665·7	803·0	501·2	589·3	2,298·1	186·6
	April ...	10,967·5	8,077·9	2,889·6	453·1	8,678·2	807·2	502·8	589·6	2,300·2	186·1
	May	10,961·5	8,071·2	2,890·3	450·3	8,666·1	808·6	502.3	588·6	2,295·8	186·6
	June... ...	10,933·7	8,053·1	2,880·6	447·7	8,647·1	811·7	501·6	588·2	2,291·9	185·7
	July	10,948·8	8,067·9	2,880·9	445·1	8,675·5	832·5	506·4	589·5	2,295·3	184·8
	August ...	10,962·6	8,076·9	2,885·7	442·4	8,692·0	834·9	508·5	589·8	2,300·0	184·4
	September...	10,947·2	8,056·4	2,890·8	441·1	8,695·7	825·3	507·6	590·6	2,313·0	185·3
	October ...	10,962·5	8,049·8	2,912·7	438·6	8,720·7	831·6	509·7	591·6	2,321·4	186·2
	November ...	10,959·4	8,044·0	2,915·4	436·7	8,726·5	832·8	510·0	592·5	2,328·9	187·4
	December ...	10,932·5	8,024·0	2,908·5	435·6	8,727·0	830·5	510·4	593·4	2,334·8	187·9
1970	January ...	10,822·4	7,959·8	2,862·6	434·2	8,647·8	810·4	506·2	590·6	2,326·6	185·5
	February ...										
	March ...										

(1) See footnotes (3) and (4) to Table 15.
(2) See footnote (2) to Table 15.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Employees in employment: Index of production industries(1)

TABLE 16 (*continued*) Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1958 Thousands

	Vehicles	Metal goods	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur	Clothing and footwear	Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Construction	Gas, electricity and water
United Kingdom											
1964	879·7	570·9	834·3	62·9	565·3	355·3	293·2	629·6	323·3	1,659·2	410·7
1965 At	870·1	590·8	819·9	61·1	557·9	358·3	301·3	639·7	335·4	1,700·3	418·4
June	860·6	596·3	810·1	60·1	551·4	352·2	295·7	647·8	342·0	1,725·0	430·9
1966(2) (b)	853·2	599·0	810·8	60·0	554·2	364·9	319·0	650·9	348·7	1,680·6	430·5
1967	823·0	568·9	752·0	56·9	523·8	352·5	305·9	640·3	336·6	1,590·2	432·5
1968	811·0	568·6	737·3	56·4	517·5	355·1	326·1	641·6	353·8	1,553·7	420·7
1968 October ...	819·2	576·8	745·3	56·7	523·9	357·5	326·4	647·2	360·8	1,547·6	415·6
November	820·4	579·0	748·3	56·9	523·5	357·6	325·5	647·5	362·3	1,555·3	413·9
December	823·2	580·0	749·7	56·7	524·0	357·1	323·9	648·3	362·6	1,539·9	412·3
1969 January ...	823·7	574·9	747·0	56·3	519·6	354·1	319·3	645·3	358·5	1,510·2	410·9
February ...	829·8	576·0	748·3	56·2	519·4	354·0	314·9	643·7	359·7	1,499·2	409·8
March ...	832·4	575·5	747·7	55·7	516·9	353·3	311·6	643·2	359·7	1,482·7	408·6
April ...	834·6	575·4	748·4	55·8	520·8	353·3	310·1	642·7	361·0	1,484·3	407·4
May ...	833·8	573·7	748·5	55·3	518·5	352·3	308·7	642·6	362·1	1,494·8	405·4
June ...	831·9	572·3	745·4	54·8	514·9	350·6	305·7	640·9	362·2	1,491·0	403·2
July ...	829·9	572·6	744·4	54·7	511·9	351·7	305·2	644·6	363·7	1,481·4	402·4
August ...	830·0	573·2	746·5	54·5	513·8	352·0	306·4	646·9	363·1	1,482·5	402·4
September	833·5	574·4	745·7	53·8	514·8	349·4	305·3	646·8	362·8	1,466·4	401·7
October ...	835·3	577·5	744·9	53·7	513·8	349·3	305·1	648·3	365·3	1,460·3	400·5
November	834·3	578·6	743·7	53·5	512·7	348·8	303·8	647·4	365·4	1,455·1	398·6
December	835·6	578·8	741·0	53·3	510·1	348·5	302·8	648·0	365·1	1,429·1	397·3
1970 January ...	831·5	575·1	733·7	52·9	502·2	343·5	297·6	643·4	361·6	1,398·5	396·8
February ...											
March ...											
Great Britain											
1964	871·4	568·3	780·7	62·3	539·3	351·3	288·6	623·4	321·0	1,616·9	403·2
1965 At	861·8	588·1	767·4	60·4	531·5	354·1	296·4	633·2	332·3	1,656·0	410·6
June (a)	852·6	593·3	756·6	59·3	524·8	348·3	290·8	641·0	338·2	1,681·0	423·3
1966(2) (b)	845·2	596·0	757·3	59·2	527·6	361·0	314·1	644·1	344·9	1,636·6	422·9
1967	815·5	565·8	702·0	56·1	498·9	348·5	301·1	633·4	332·0	1,545·6	424·1
1968	802·8	565·5	689·8	55·6	492·0	350·8	321·2	634·9	347·6	1,505·8	412·5
1968 October ..	811·1	573·7	697·1	56·0	496·6	353·3	321·9	640·5	354·2	1,498·8	407·5
November	812·2	575·9	700·4	56·1	496·5	353·5	321·0	640·8	355·6	1,506·8	405·7
December	815·0	576·9	702·3	55·9	497·3	353·0	319·5	641·5	355·8	1,491·8	404·0
1969 January ...	815·6	571·8	699·6	55·5	493·0	350·1	314·8	638·6	351·6	1,463·8	402·7
February	821·7	572·9	700·8	55·4	492·9	350·0	310·4	637·0	352·6	1,452·8	401·8
March ...	824·3	572·4	700·1	54·9	490·5	349·3	307·1	636·5	352·4	1,435·8	400·7
April ...	826·4	572·2	700·7	55·0	493·5	349·2	305·4	636·1	353·8	1,436·8	399·4
May ...	825·5	570·5	700·7	54·5	490·6	348·0	303·9	636·0	354·5	1,447·8	397·3
June ...	823·6	569·0	698·3	53·9	487·2	346·3	300·9	634·3	354·5	1,443·8	395·1
July ...	821·6	569·4	696·8	53·9	483·9	347·3	300·3	637·9	355·9	1,433·8	394·4
August ...	821·7	570·0	698·8	53·7	485·7	347·5	301·6	640·2	355·2	1,433·8	394·4
September	825·3	570·6	697·6	53·0	486·7	344·8	300·7	639·8	355·4	1,416·8	393·6
October ...	827·0	573·6	696·9	52·9	485·6	344·7	300·5	641·2	357·8	1,410·8	392·4
November	826·0	574·7	695·9	52·7	484·2	344·1	299·2	640·3	357·8	1,405·8	390·4
December	827·3	574·9	693·4	52·5	481·5	343·8	298·1	641·0	357·5	1,380·8	389·1
1970 January ...	823·5	571·5	686·0	52·1	473·8	338·8	292·9	636·4	353·5	1,351·8	388·6
February ...											
March ...											

(1) See footnotes (3) and (4) to Table 15.
(2) See footnote (2) to Table 15.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Civil Service: Non-industrial staff(1)

TABLE 17

Thousands

	Total, other than Post Office staff(2)				Males			Females			Total Post Office staff (4)
	Total	*Casual staff* (3)	Whole-time	Part-time	Total	Whole-time	Part-time	Total	Whole-time	Part-time	
1964 At April 1 ...	413·7	..	406·8	13·8	268·9	268·3	1·2	144·8	138·5	12·6	376·6
1965 At April 1 ...	419·5	..	412·6	13·8	270·2	269·6	1·2	149·3	143·0	12·6	384·2
1966 At April 1 ...	430·3	..	423·2	14·2	273·9	273·3	1·3	156·4	149·9	12·9	397·2
1967 At April 1 ...	454·5	3·6	477·1	14·8	284·0	283·3	1·4	170·5	163·8	13·4	406·8
1968 January 1 ...	471·7	4·0	464·1	15·1	292·5	291·7	1·4	179·2	172·4	13·7	410·6
April 1 ...	475·7	5·0	467·9	15·5	294·6	293·8	1·6	181·1	174·1	13·9	412·6
July 1 ...	473·5	3·2	465·8	15·3	294·2	293·5	1·5	179·3	172·4	13·8	416·4
October 1 ...	474·2	4·1	466·7	14·9	293·5	292·7	1·5	180·7	174·0	13·4	417·1
1969 January 1 ...	473·7	3·1	466·5	14·4	292·7	292·0	1·5	181·0	174·5	12·9	418·6
April 1 ...	472·9	2·9	466·2	13·3	292·5	291·8	1·5	180·4	174·4	11·8	417·0
July 1 ...	473·8	3·7	467·2	13·2	292·5	291·8	1·4	181·3	175·4	11·7	416·0
October 1 ...	493·3	4·1	486·2	14·2	298·6	297·9	1·5	194·7	188·3	12·7	
1970 January 1 ...	495·3	4·0	488·3	14·1	299·2	298·5	1·5	196·1	189·8	12·6	

Analysis by departments (excluding Post Office)

Thousands

	Ministry of Defence	Board of Inland Revenue	Department of Health and Social Security (5)	Department of Employment and Productivity (6)	Ministry of Public Building and Works	Ministry of Technology (7)(8)	Home Office	H.M. Customs and Excise	Board of Trade (8)	Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food	Department for National Savings	Other departments (9)
1964 ...	109·0	58·0	52·4	21·3	20·3	24·3	14·9	15·8	7·7	14·7		75·3
1965 ...	108·2	57·7	54·2	20·6	20·8	24·6	15·4	16·1	9·5	14·6		77·8
1966 At Apr. 1	108·7	59·5	55·1	22·1	20·9	24·8	16·1	16·8	9·6	14·7		82·0
1967 ...	110·2	62·7	60·7	26·7	21·6	22·8	17·5	17·6	17·2	15·3		82·2
1968 Jan. 1 ...	116·0	65·1	62·8	28·9	22·8	22·3	18·3	17·9	17·6	15·6		84·4
Apr. 1 ...	116·2	65·7	64·1	28·6	23·2	22·5	18·7	18·0	17·9	15·8		85·0
July 1 ...	115·7	64·2	63·6	29·0	23·3	22·4	18·9	17·9	18·0	15·9		84·6
Oct. 1 ...	115·0	65·0	65·0	29·5	23·0	22·0	19·3	17·9	18·0	15·2		84·3
1969 Jan. 1 ...	114·7	65·8	71·2	29·4	22·9	21·8	19·4	17·8	18·1	15·1		77·5
Apr. 1 ...	112·6	65·4	71·4	29·8	23·1	22·0	19·7	17·8	18·1	15·0		78·0
July 1 ...	112·0	66·0	71·5	29·8	23·1	21·8	20·0	17·7	18·1	15·1		78·7
Oct. 1 ...	112·2	67·5	73·0	30·1	23·1	21·9	20·4	18·1	18·3	15·0	15·3	78·4
1970 Jan. 1 ...	112·5	69·0	72·4	30·3	23·2	25·7	20·7	18·1	16·5	15·0	15·1	76·8

(1) Established and unestablished staff, excluding employees of the Northern Ireland Government. In arriving at the totals two part-time workers are counted as one whole-time worker.
(2) Including the Department for National Savings (15,300) and the Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications (355) from 1 October 1969.
(3) Casual or seasonal staff recruited for periods normally of less than six months. These are included in the total and other columns.
(4) Became a public corporation on 1 October 1969.
(5) Ministry of Social Security before November 1968.
(6) Ministry of Labour up to May 1968.
(7) Ministry of Aviation up to January 1967. In February 1967 the functions of the Ministry of Aviation were taken over mainly by the Ministry of Technology (which was formed in October 1964).
(8) In July 1966 certain staff of the Ministry of Aviation were transferred to the Board of Trade.
(9) Including the Ministry of Technology up to January 1967, and Ministry of Health up to October 1968.

Source: Civil Service Department

Civil Service: Industrial staff (excluding Post Office)(1)

TABLE 18

Thousands

	Total	Males	Females	Analysis by departments					
				Ministry of Defence	Ministry of Public Building and Works	Ministry of Technology (2)	Stationery Office	Home Office	Other departments (3)
1964 At April 1 ...	244·2	214·6	29·6	176·0	40·3	14·3	3·8	3·9	5·9
1965 At April 1 ...	235·4	205·5	29·9	168·7	38·8	14·1	3·9	3·9	6·0
1966 At April 1 ...	231·7	200·0	31·7	166·0	37·9	13·7	4·0	3·9	6·2
1967 At April 1 ...	229·1	197·0	32·1	165·1	36·8	13·0	4·2	4·0	6·0
1968 January 1 ...	223·5	191·3	32·2	159·2	36·7	13·2	4·3	4·1	6·1
April 1 ...	222·1	190·2	31·9	157·2	36·7	13·2	4·2	4·0	6·8
July 1 ...	220·4	188·4	32·0	155·5	36·6	13·2	4·2	4·1	6·8
October 1 ...	219·0	187·6	31·4	154·1	36·4	13·2	4·2	4·0	7·1
1969 January 1 ...	217·1	186·4	30·7	152·7	36·0	12·9	4·2	4·1	7·2
April 1 ...	214·3	184·0	30·3	151·0	35·2	12·6	4·2	3·9	7·4
July 1 ...	212·9	180·8	32·1	150·1	34·7	12·4	4·2	4·0	7·5
October 1 ...	211·9	180·1	31·8	149·4	34·1	12·4	4·2	4·0	7·8
1970 January 1 ...	210·7	178·7	32·0	148·9	33·7	12·4	4·2	4·0	7·5

(1) See footnote (1) to Table 17.
(2) See footnotes (7) and (8) to Table 17.
(3) See footnote (8) to Table 17.

Source: Civil Service Department

Numbers employed in agriculture

TABLE 19

Thousands

	Great Britain						Northern Ireland					
	All workers			Regular workers(1)			All workers			Regulat workers		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
1964 June... ...	544·2	445·8	98·4	455·9	398·9	57·0	39·4	32·0	7·4	25·5	20·2	5·3
December ...	521·1	429·8	91·4	449·5	388·6	60·9	38·5	30·9	7·6	25·2	19·9	5·3
1965 June... ...	514·3	419·4	94·9	428·4	373·2	55·2	36·7	28·7	7·0	23·1	18·3	4·9
December ...	483·4	395·9	87·5	413·7	358·0	55·7	36·1	29·1	7·0	23·0	18·2	4·8
1966 June... ...	488·0	395·1	92·9	402·0	348·9	53·2	34·3	27·8	6·5	21·6	17·1	4·5
December ...	434·2	360·2	74·0	388·3	335·1	53·1	36·7	27·6	9·2	24·2	17·2	7·0
1967 June... ...	451·4	365·4	86·0	376·4	328·0	48·4	33·9	26·0	7·8	21·9	16·1	5·9
December ...	420·5	346·9	73·6	366·0	317·0	49·0	32·4	25·7	6·7	20·3	15·6	4·5
1968 June... ...	417·6	339·3	78·3	352·5	307·1	45·4	32·5	24·8	7·7	20·8	14·9	5·9
December ...	401·6	327·7	73·9	348·5	299·0	49·5	31·4	24·8	6·6	19·0	14·8	4·2
1969 June... ...	402·2	326·2	76·0	336·0	293·4	42·5	31·2	24·1	7·2	19·7	14·3	5·3
December ...	379·4	308·7	70·7	328·0	281·0	47·0	31·1	24·8	6·3	18·2	14·2	4·0

(1) Including regular part-time workers.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Constructional work: Operatives employed by contractors(1)
Great Britain

TABLE 20 — Annual averages or end of period — Thousands

	Total	Total new work	New housing			Other new work					Repair and maintenance
			Total	For public sector	For private sector	Total	For public sector	For private sector			
								Total	Industrial	Non-industrial	
1966	1,102	790	311	157	154	479	218	261	129	132	312
1967	1,059	765	306	163	143	459	220	239	115	124	294
1968	1,025	740	296	158	138	444	223	221	107	114	285
1969	976	701	267	151	117	434	214	220	109	111	276
1968 January ...	1,018	734	295	155	140	439	218	221	104	117	284
April ...	1,022	739	297	157	140	442	225	217	105	112	283
July ...	1,026	740	296	157	139	444	227	217	105	112	286
October ...	1,027	741	295	160	135	446	224	222	110	112	286
1969 January ...	995	715	281	155	126	434	212	222	108	114	280
April ...	969	696	273	153	120	423	205	218	109	109	273
July	979	702	264	149	115	439	219	219	109	110	277
October ...	959	688	250	145	105	438	220	218	110	108	271
1970 January ...	891	632	223	131	92	409	202	207	105	102	259

(1) Insured operatives (male and female) aged 15 years and over. Administrative, technical and clerical workers and self-employed operatives are excluded.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Overtime and short-time worked by operatives in manufacturing industries(1)
Great Britain(2)

TABLE 21 — Thousands

	Operatives working overtime (3)			Operatives on short-time							
		Hours of overtime worked		Total			Stood off for whole week		Working part of week		
	Number of operatives	Total	Average	Number of operatives	Hours lost		Number of operatives	Total number of hours lost	Number of operatives	Hours lost	
					Total	Average				Total	Average
Week ended:											
1965 May 15	2,160	18,325	8½	30	318	11	2	85	28	233	8½
1966 May 21	2,212	18,890	8½	33	263	8	1	30	32	232	7
1967 May 26	1,947	16,161	8½	108	1,169	11	5	219	102	950	9¼
1968 May 18	2,073	17,363	8½	35	347	10	1	50	34	297	8¾
1969 January 18	2,082	17,897	8½	22	260	12	2	82	20	178	9
February 15	2,088	17,753	8½	24	282	11¾	2	86	22	196	9
March 15	2,060	17,745	8½	30	350	11¾	2	85	28	265	9½
April 19	2,103	18,152	8½	25	276	11	1	55	24	222	9
May 17	2,149	18,679	8½	29	330	11	3	107	27	223	8
June 14	2,117	18,402	8½	28	403	14½	4	175	24	228	9½
July 19	1,997	17,774	9	20	207	10½	1	40	19	167	9
August 16	1,863	16,084	8½	29	516	18	8	323	21	194	9
September 13	2,085	18,150	8½	29	394	13½	4	176	25	218	9
October 18	2,160	18,867	8½	48	995	21	16	670	32	325	10½
November 15	2,195	18,997	8½	31	306	10	2	65	30	241	8
December 13	2,189	19,106	8½	28	356	13	4	146	24	210	8½
1970 January 17	2,024	17,476	8½	35	521	15	6	257	29	264	9

Note: Figures after June 1968 are provisional and may be revised after the final figures for the mid-1969 count of national insurance cards become available.

(1) Orders III-XVI of the *Standard Industrial Classification 1958*.

(2) Figures relate to establishments with more than 10 employees in all manufacturing industries except shipbuilding ond ship repairing. (3) Excluding maintenance staff.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

TABLE 22

Registered unemployed

Thousands

	Great Britain									Northern Ireland			
	Total				Married women	Wholly unemployed (including casuals)		Temporarily stopped		Total			
	Total	Percentage rate(1)	Males	Females		Males	Females	Males	Females	Total	Percentage rate(1)	Males	Females
1964 Monthly averages	380·6	1·6	286·2	94·4	44·3	279·6	92·6	6·6	1·8	32·8	6·6	23·6	9·2
1965 Monthly averages	328·8	1·4	250·3	78·5	35·4	240·6	76·4	9·7	2·1	30·9	6·1	22·4	8·7
1966 Monthly averages	359·7	1·5	285·1	74·6	31·2	259·6	71·2	25·5	3·4	31·2	6·1	22·7	8·5
1967 Monthly averages	559·5	2·4	451·2	108·3	42·6	420·7	100·2	30·5	8·0	39·6	7·7	27·5	12·2
1968 Monthly averages	564·1	2·4	473·7	90·4	34·8	460·7	88·8	13·1	1·6	37·2	7·2	27·7	9·5
1969 Monthly averages	559·3	2·4	475·9	83·4	30·2	461·9	81·9	14·0	1·5	37·8	7·3	29·2	8·6
1967 January 9	600·2	2·6	487·4	112·7	42·5	425·2	102·1	62·2	10·6	40·9	8·0	28·9	12·0
February 13	602·8	2·6	483·2	119·7	47·1	430·8	106·9	52·4	12·8	41·5	8·1	28·5	13·0
March 13	569·0	2·4	453·4	115·6	46·8	420·8	104·0	32·6	11·5	41·6	8·1	28·9	12·7
April 10	567·4	2·4	452·5	114·9	46·8	421·2	104·2	31·3	10·7	42·8	8·3	29·9	13·0
May 8	541·4	2·3	433·3	108·1	45·7	398·9	97·8	34·4	10·3	40·3	7·8	27·9	12·5
June 12	499·8	2·1	403·6	96·2	40·8	377·9	88·0	25·8	8·2	39·3	7·7	26·9	12·5
July 10	497·1	2·1	401·2	95·9	38·5	383·3	88·9	17·9	7·0	38·3	7·5	26·7	11·6
August 14	555·6	2·4	443·1	112·5	38·7	426·1	106·9	17·0	5·6	39·2	7·6	26·9	12·4
September 11	555·4	2·4	447·8	107·6	40·0	424·0	101·7	23·7	5·9	38·5	7·5	26·2	12·2
October 9	560·7	2·4	452·5	108·2	42·2	429·3	102·4	23·2	5·9	37·8	7·4	25·9	11·8
November 13	581·6	2·5	474·7	106·9	42·0	450·0	102·3	24·7	4·6	37·2	7·2	25·9	11·4
December 11	582·7	2·5	481·8	100·9	40·0	461·2	97·7	20·6	3·2	38·2	7·4	27·0	11·2
1968 January 8	630·9	2·7	526·4	104·5	39·5	499·2	101·2	27·2	3·3	40·1	7·8	28·3	11·8
February 12	619·2	2·7	516·5	102·7	39·8	496·4	99·6	20·1	3·1	38·7	7·5	27·8	10·9
March 11	589·9	2·5	492·9	97·0	39·1	477·0	95·0	15·9	2·0	36·4	7·1	26·0	10·4
April 8	578·4	2·5	483·5	94·9	37·6	473·7	93·2	9·8	1·7	36·6	7·1	26·7	9·9
May 13	548·9	2·4	461·5	87·4	36·3	449·9	85·7	11·6	1·7	37·3	7·2	27·8	9·5
June 10	516·7	2·2	438·7	78·0	32·6	429·4	77·1	9·3	1·0	36·0	7·0	27·2	8·8
July 8	514·6	2·2	437·4	77·2	30·8	428·8	76·1	8·6	1·1	36·2	7·0	27·4	8·8
August 12	561·4	2·4	468·4	93·0	30·7	461·6	91·6	6·9	1·4	36·9	7·2	27·7	9·2
September 9	547·4	2·4	459·7	87·7	31·0	448·1	86·5	11·6	1·2	35·7	6·9	27·1	8·6
October 14	549·3	2·4	459·6	89·7	34·2	450·1	88·7	9·5	1·0	36·3	7·0	27·5	8·8
November 11	560·9	2·4	472·7	88·2	33·6	457·2	87·3	15·4	0·9	37·8	7·3	29·0	8·8
December 9	551·7	2·4	467·7	84·0	32·4	456·8	83·2	10·9	0·8	38·6	7·5	30·0	8·6
1969 January 13	594·5	2·6	506·6	87·9	33·4	497·1	87·0	9·6	0·9	41·3	8·0	32·6	8·8
February 10	591·2	2·6	504·6	86·6	33·4	490·8	85·3	13·8	1·3	41·3	8·0	32·8	8·5
March 10	589·4	2·5	505·5	83·9	32·5	483·8	82·3	21·8	1·6	39·1	7·6	31·0	8·1
April 14	557·7	2·4	475·8	81·9	31·3	469·3	80·6	6·5	1·3	36·8	7·1	28·9	7·9
May 12	523·3	2·3	447·6	75·6	29·7	434·9	74·2	12·7	1·4	36·7	7·1	28·7	8·0
June 9	498·6	2·2	428·5	70·1	27·8	414·9	68·4	13·6	1·8	35·2	6·8	27·3	7·9
July 14	512·1	2·2	435·3	76·8	27·4	428·2	75·3	7·1	1·5	38·7	7·5	29·3	9·4
August 11	568·1	2·5	476·9	91·1	27·3	463·2	89·2	13·7	1·9	38·3	7·4	29·0	9·4
September 8	559·0	2·4	472·2	86·8	27·4	454·7	85·2	17·5	1·6	37·9	7·4	28·3	9·6
October 13	572·3	2·5	483·8	88·5	30·6	456·0	86·6	27·8	1·9	35·5	6·9	26·8	8·7
November 10	571·9	2·5	484·3	87·6	31·7	466·5	86·1	17·9	1·5	35·8	7·0	27·3	8·5
December 8	573·3	2·5	489·5	83·8	29·9	483·0	82·5	6·5	1·3	36·7	7·1	28·4	8·3
1970 January 12	628·3	2·7	541·2	87·1	30·2	526·5	85·3	14·7	1·8	38·7	7·5	30·5	8·1
February 9	624·2	2·7	535·5	88·7	30·9	520·2	86·2	15·3	2·4	36·7	7·1	28·8	7·9
March 9	624·4	2·7	537·1	87·3						36·3	7·0	28·3	8·0

(1) Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Registered unemployed

TABLE 23 — **Analysis by Standard Regions** — Thousands

	North	Yorkshire and Humber-side	East Midlands	East Anglia	South East	South West	Wales	West Midlands	North West	Scotland	Northern Ireland
1967 Monthly averages	53·1	44·4	26·0	12·7	131·9	33·8	40·3	57·8	74·9	84·6	39·6
1968 Monthly averages	61·4	52·9	26·9	12·3	130·5	33·5	39·3	51·8	72·7	82·9	37·2
1969 Monthly averages	63·5	53·6	28·1	12·5	124·9	35·8	40·2	46·2	73·3	81·2	37·8
1969 January 13	68·5	57·1	29·9	13·8	137·2	38·2	41·6	43·8	74·9	89·6	41·3
February 10	66·6	56·2	30·3	14·3	137·9	38·6	41·5	45·5	74·5	85·6	41·3
March 10	64·7	55·5	30·2	14·4	138·7	38·0	40·8	46·0	77·8	83·2	39·1
April 14	64·0	54·3	28·2	13·5	128·6	35·9	39·5	41·6	71·9	80·0	36·8
May 12	61·9	49·1	26·2	12·1	117·5	33·6	37·2	42·1	68·5	75·1	36·7
June 9	56·5	46·5	25·3	10·7	111·1	30·2	34·8	42·2	66·6	74·7	35·2
July 14	59·7	48·4	25·5	10·4	108·3	30·7	36·6	42·7	69·0	80·8	38·7
August 11	67·0	55·0	27·4	11·8	119·0	33·4	47·0	49·5	76·0	82·2	38·3
September 8	65·1	54·3	27·2	11·4	118·9	34·1	42·0	54·5	74·0	77·4	37·9
October 13	61·7	54·3	27·8	11·5	130·5	37·2	40·4	53·0	76·2	79·7	35·5
November 10	62·2	55·3	30·1	12·3	124·0	39·8	40·2	50·7	75·4	81·7	35·8
December 8	64·5	57·2	29·7	13·4	126·5	40·0	40·5	42·6	74·1	84·7	36·7
1970 January 12	67·9	61·8	34·2	14·7	141·3	42·6	42·1	47·9	79·8	96·0	38·7
February 9	66·3	61·0	34·6	15·2	142·4	42·4	41·2	50·0	79·5	91·6	36·7
March 9	64·9	60·6	34·7	15·5	145·0	41·8	40·0	51·0	79·3	91·5	36·3
Unemployment rate at March 9(1)	*4·9*	*3·0*	*2·4*	*2·5*	*1·8*	*3·1*	*4·1*	*2·2*	*2·7*	*4·2*	*7·0*

(1) Number registered as unemployed expressed as a percentage of the estimated total number of employees. For Great Britain as a whole the figure was 2·7 per cent.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered wholly unemployed in Great Britain(1)

TABLE 24 — **Analysis by duration of unemployment** — Thousands

	Males				Females			
	Total (including school-leavers) (2)	2 weeks or less	Over 2 but not more than 8 weeks	More than 8 weeks	Total (including school-leavers) (2)	2 weeks or less	Over 2 but not more than 8 weeks	More than 8 weeks
1967 Monthly averages	416·7	72·5	102·4	241·9	100·1	22·5	29·1	48·5
1968 Monthly averages	457·3	73·6	107·7	276·0	88·6	19·7	25·5	43·5
1969 Monthly averages	459·4	76·4	109·9	273·1	81·7	19·4	24·3	38·0
1969 January 13	494·2	84·3	119·3	290·6	86·8	22·4	22·8	41·6
February 10	488·0	77·8	111·6	298·6	85·1	18·6	24·2	42·3
March 10	480·9	69·8	111·8	299·3	82·1	17·3	22·5	42·3
April 14	466·8	71·9	110·0	284·8	80·4	18·3	23·3	38·8
May 12	432·6	66·4	92·8	273·4	74·0	16·3	20·0	37·7
June 9	412·7	66·6	85·5	260·6	68·2	14·9	17·6	35·7
July 14	426·2	80·7	101·9	243·6	75·1	21·4	20·8	32·9
August 11	461·3	81·3	122·5	257·5	89·0	21·8	30·8	36·4
September 8	452·7	75·5	111·1	266·1	85·0	21·4	26·8	36·9
October 13	453·6	85·0	113·5	255·2	86·4	24·0	28·0	34·4
November 10	463·7	80·5	118·5	264·8	85·8	20·5	28·8	36·5
December 8	480·5	76·9	120·7	282·8	82·3	16·3	25·7	40·3
1970 January 12	523·6	89·9	131·2	302·6	85·1	20·7	23·5	41·0
February 9	517·4	80·8	121·2	315·4	86·1	19·2	24·9	41·9
March 9								

(1) Excluding casuals. (2) School-leavers are persons under the age of 18 registered as unemployed who have had no insured employment.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered wholly unemployed in Great Britain(1)

TABLE 25 — Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1968

Thousands

	All industries(1)			Production industries			Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Transport and communication	Distributive trades	Catering, hotels, etc.	All other industries and services(1)
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Manufacturing	Construction					
	II–XXI			III–XIX	XX	I	XXII	XXIII	M.L.H.884–888	XXIV–XXVII (excl. M.L.H.884–888)	
1966 Monthly averages	323	255	68	147	85	52	10	24	37	19	87
1967 Monthly averages	512	415	97	262	152	96	13	34	57	26	120
1968 Monthly averages	541	455	86	280	152	102	13	35	57	25	130
1969(2) Monthly averages	535	456	79	278	145	101	13	35	54	25	131
Unadjusted											
1969 January	580	495	86	303	152	119	16	38	60	28	135
February	574	489	84	299	150	118	15	38	59	28	134
March	564	483	82	297	149	117	15	36	58	26	132
April	542	463	78	285	147	106	13	34	56	23	131
May	506	433	73	266	140	95	12	32	53	20	123
June(3)	481	413	68	254	136	88	11	32	49	19	116
July	494	422	72	254	138	86	10	31	49	20	130
August	517	440	76	266	146	89	12	32	53	21	133
September	519	441	78	267	144	90	11	33	53	21	134
October	535	451	84	271	144	94	11	35	54	29	135
November	548	464	85	277	144	101	13	36	54	31	137
December	563	481	82	292	146	115	15	36	53	30	136
1970 January	608	524	84	327	159	136	16	38	59	30	138
February	603	518	85	322	161	129	16	38	60	30	138
March											
Seasonally adjusted											
1969 January	506	424	72	258	142	85	11	33	53	23	127
February	487	408	70	246	134	83	11	33	50	22	125
March	504	424	72	258	135	92	12	33	52	23	126
April	519	445	74	271	137	105	12	33	52	23	127
May	518	451	76	273	136	111	13	33	53	23	125
June(3)	543	472	80	285	144	111	15	36	54	27	128
July	577	495	90	297	153	112	15	37	58	30	143
August	585	499	93	303	159	112	16	38	59	31	142
September	580	496	86	303	157	114	14	37	58	26	142
October	555	474	81	294	152	110	14	34	55	26	133
November	536	459	78	282	146	105	13	34	54	25	130
December	545	466	77	289	148	110	12	34	55	25	130
1970 January	530	449	70	278	149	97	11	33	51	25	129
February	512	432	71	264	144	90	12	33	51	24	128
March											

(1) Including ex-service men and women and other registered unemployed persons aged 18 years and over not classified to an industry. Registered unemployed school-leavers (i.e. persons under 18 not in full-time education who have not yet taken up employment) are excluded.

(2) Based on the January to May figures (1958 S.I.C.) and the June to December figures (1968 S.I.C.).

(3) The figures from June 1969 onwards have been compiled using the 1968 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification. This change slightly affected the numbers unemployed in some industries so that figures since June 1969 may not be strictly comparable with those for earlier periods.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered unemployed in Great Britain

Industries analysed according to the Standard Industrial Classification 1958 and 1968

TABLE 26 — Thousands

	Total	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Food, drink and tobacco	Coal, petroleum and chemical products (1)	Metal manufacture	Engineering and allied industries	Textiles, leather and clothing	Other manufacturing	Construction	Transport, communication and public utilities	Distributive trades	Financial, professional and miscellaneous services and public administration (2)
1958 S.I.C.													
1966 } Monthly averages ...	359·7	12·0	6·6	10·5	5·6	9·6	53·1	14·5	18·1	52·5	27·3	37·2	112·9
1967 } ...	559·5	14·7	10·1	16·6	8·5	19·7	81·9	30·6	30·0	96·1	38·7	57·0	155·6
1968 } ...	564·1	14·8	20·6	17·0	8·8	14·7	75·1	20·1	28·0	102·5	40·5	57·6	164·7
1969 January 13 ...	594·5	19·1	26·5	18·0	8·9	13·3	68·7	18·5	29·9	119·6	44·0	60·1	167·9
February 10...	591·2	17·5	26·3	17·9	8·9	12·5	70·9	18·2	31·0	119·8	43·4	59·4	165·4
March 10 ...	589·4	16·4	25·6	17·7	8·7	12·4	80·0	18·0	31·0	119·0	42·0	58·2	160·4
April 14 ...	557·7	14·9	26·2	17·0	8·7	11·8	66·6	18·3	29·4	106·3	40·3	56·2	162·1
May 12 ...	523·3	13·5	25·8	16·1	8·5	11·5	69·4	18·0	28·4	94·9	38·3	53·2	145·7
1968 S.I.C.													
1969 Monthly ave. (3)	559·3	14·5	25·7	17·0	8·6	12·9	71·0	18·8	29·0	102·0	40·6	54·4	164·9
1969 June 9 ...	498·6	12·1	25·2	16·2	8·0	11·2	69·2	17·5	27·4	88·0	37·3	48·7	137·8
July 14 ...	512·1	11·1	25·5	15·6	8·2	11·3	63·4	18·4	27·2	86·1	36·7	49·0	159·6
August 11 ...	568·1	12·7	25·2	16·6	8·5	18·1	67·7	19·5	28·7	89·1	38·4	52·8	190·8
September 8	559·0	11·8	25·9	16·7	8·6	13·6	75·2	19·8	28·4	90·6	38·9	52·1	176·4
October 13 ...	572·3	12·9	25·7	17·2	8·8	12·8	84·6	19·4	29·3	94·5	41·7	53·7	171·8
November 10	571·9	15·3	25·4	17·3	8·7	13·5	72·7	19·9	28·8	100·8	43·2	54·2	172·3
December 8	573·3	16·5	25·2	17·8	8·8	12·3	63·5	19·8	29·0	115·1	42·7	53·7	169·1
1970 January 12	628·3	18·6	25·2	20·0	9·5	13·7	69·4	22·5	33·7	139·2	45·2	58·9	172·5
February 9 ...	624·2	17·9	25·0	20·6	9·7	13·4	73·5	23·4	34·3	130·3	44·9	60·3	171·0

(1) Chemical and allied industries in 1958 S.I.C.
(2) See footnote (1) on page 25.
(3) Based on the January to May figures above (1958 S.I.C.) and the June to December figures (1968 S.I.C.).

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Registered unemployed in Great Britain

Analysed according to entitlement to benefit

TABLE 27 — End of period — Thousands

	Total	Receiving unemployment benefit			Receiving supplementary allowance only	Others registered for work
		Total	Unemployment benefit only	Unemployment benefit and supplementary allowance		
1965 May	307	157	134	23	72	78
November ...	321	165	142	22	68	88
1966 May	280	145	122	23	61	74
November ...	543	309	262	46	88	146
1967 February ...	603	379	304	75	97	127
May	541	334	259	76	94	113
August ...	556	306	233	73	101	149
November ...	582	325	251	75	122	135
1968 February ...	619	352	269	83	140	127
May	549	300	231	69	132	117
August ...	561	277	217	60	131	153
November ...	561	297	237	60	131	133
1969 February ...	591	321	251	71	139	130
May	523	276	214	62	127	120
August ...	568	266	207	59	134	167
November ...	572	286	222	64	136	150

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Employment vacancies filled and unfilled

Great Britain

TABLE 28 — Periods of four or five weeks — Thousands

	Total		Males						Females					
			Total		18 years and over		Under 18 years		Total		18 years and over		Under 18 years	
	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period	Placed	Unfilled vacancies: End of period
1966(1) ...	1,957	234	1,279	125	1,060	97	219	28	678	109	508	76	170	33
1967	1,807	224	1,151	113	936	85	215	28	656	111	487	78	169	32
1968	1,895	267	1,247	131	1,031	100	216	31	649	136	488	95	160	41
1969	1,877	249	1,257	129	1,045	102	212	27	620	120	468	84	151	36
1968*Oct. 9 ...	200	268	132	127	104	94	28	34	68	140	51	97	17	43
Nov. 6...	150	266	100	129	85	98	15	32	49	137	40	95	10	42
Dec. 4...	138	267	94	131	82	100	12	31	44	136	37	95	7	41
1969*Jan. 8 ...	138	252	94	120	83	90	11	30	44	132	37	91	7	41
Feb. 5 ...	151	264	102	128	89	94	13	34	49	136	40	93	9	43
Mar. 5 ...	137	284	95	137	84	98	11	39	42	147	36	97	7	50
*Apr. 9 ...	170	303	115	146	96	103	18	44	55	156	39	102	16	54
May 7 ...	160	306	109	150	91	107	19	43	51	156	37	104	13	52
June 4 ...	133	322	92	158	81	111	11	48	41	164	34	108	7	56
*July 9 ...	182	319	121	158	106	108	15	50	60	161	49	103	12	57
Aug. 6...	173	301	105	152	77	108	28	44	68	150	41	98	27	51
Sept. 3...	161	290	106	145	75	108	30	36	55	145	34	100	22	45
*Oct. 8 ...	197	272	132	137	103	104	29	32	65	135	49	93	17	42
Nov. 5...	145	256	98	130	83	101	15	29	47	125	38	87	9	39
Dec. 3...	131	249	89	129	77	102	12	27	42	120	35	84	7	36
1970*Jan. 7 ...	..	242	..	122	..	96	9	27	..	120	..	84	6	36
Feb. 4 ...	..	250	..	127	..	97	13	30	..	123	..	84	9	39
Mar. 4 ...	..	264	..	135	..	99	11	36	..	129	..	85	7	44

Northern Ireland

Number

1966(1) ...	31,687	2,219	22,759	910	18,196	536	4,563	374	8,928	1,309	5,909	822	3,019	487
1967	33,042	1,691	24,019	743	19,631	435	4,388	308	9,023	948	5,512	610	3,511	338
1968	35,294	2,623	24,194	953	19,705	666	4,489	287	11,100	1,670	7,220	1,025	3,880	645
1969	36,033	3,702	25,169	1,529	20,644	1,056	4,505	473	10,864	2,173	7,205	1,262	3,659	911
1968*Oct. 14	3,664	2,952	2,537	1,060	1,953	620	584	440	1,127	1,892	710	1,098	417	794
Nov. 11	2,765	2,805	1,891	1,015	1,531	578	360	437	874	1,790	602	1,137	272	653
Dec. 9 ...	2,945	2,623	2,145	953	1,797	666	348	287	800	1,670	567	1,025	233	645
1969*Jan. 13...	3,626	3,348	2,933	1,398	2,683	1,033	250	365	693	1,950	521	1,254	172	696
Feb. 10	2,611	3,502	1,784	1,425	1,508	1,007	276	418	827	2,077	597	1,344	230	733
Mar. 10	2,688	3,796	1,977	1,503	1,705	1,017	272	486	711	2,293	522	1,419	189	874
*Apr. 14	3,343	4,205	2,281	1,565	1,915	950	366	615	1,062	2,640	626	1,508	436	1,132
May 12...	2,900	4,154	1,989	1,523	1,543	974	446	549	911	2,631	579	1,584	332	1,047
June 9 ...	2,290	4,272	1,533	1,574	1,266	1,040	267	534	757	2,698	568	1,562	189	1,136
*July 14...	2,992	3,911	1,906	1,374	1,497	842	409	532	1,086	2,537	575	1,444	511	1,093
Aug. 11	2,274	3,813	1,369	1,391	1,082	877	287	514	905	2,422	551	1,519	354	903
Sept. 8...	3,015	4,194	1,891	1,644	1,349	1,026	542	618	1,124	2,550	729	1,683	395	867
*Oct. 13	4,363	4,185	3,237	1,754	2,613	1,208	624	546	1,126	2,431	734	1,547	392	884
Nov. 10	3,120	3,825	2,278	1,604	1,855	1,138	423	466	842	2,221	606	1,361	236	860
Dec. 8...	2,811	3,702	1,991	1,529	1,648	1,056	343	473	820	2,173	597	1,262	223	911
1970*Jan. 12 ...	3,877	3,988	3,115	1,523	2,808	1,077	307	446	762	2,465	581	1,456	181	1,009
Feb. 9 ...	3,077	4,083	2,282	1,667	1,959	1,160	323	507	795	2,416	573	1,493	222	923
Mar. 9 ...	2,890	4,290	2,084	1,762	1,813	1,087	271	675	806	2,528	613	1,487	193	1,041

(1) 53 week period.
* Five week period.

Sources: Department of Employment and Productivity
Ministry of Health and Social Services (Northern Ireland)

Industrial stoppages(1)(2)

TABLE 29

Thousands

	Workers involved(3)	Total working days lost(4)						
		All industries and services	Mining and quarrying	Metals, engineering, shipbuilding and vehicles	Textiles and clothing	Construction	Transport and communication	All other industries and services
Estimated number of employees in employment at mid-June 1968		*23,125*	*489*	*4,467*	*1,255*	*1,554*	*1,610*	*13,750*
1964	871	2,277	309	1,338	34	125	312	160
1965	869	2,925	413	1,763	52	135	305	257
1966	530	2,398	118	871	12	145	1,069	183
1967	732	2,787	108	1,422	31	201	823	202
1968	2,256	4,690	57	3,363	40	233	559	438
1969	1,609	6,772	1,041	3,729	139	269	718	874
1967 July	60	164	24	86	1	14	21	18
August	50	142	5	81	7	12	17	21
September	104	379	7	199	1	11	153	7
October	79	600	8	198	1	13	338	42
November	52	321	2	137	2	18	143	19
December	31	115	1	33	1	4	66	9
1968 January	54	157	1	112	3	20	4	17
February	53	268	6	205	3	14	5	35
March	52	289	2	126	—	12	117	31
April	64	257	5	110	3	13	114	13
May	1,589	1,861	3	1,650	11	36	100	60
June	73	277	8	188	3	27	39	13
July	71	179	4	115	1	8	21	30
August	62	217	5	124	1	11	29	47
September	66	403	4	251	3	41	36	68
October	74	377	10	208	5	28	51	77
November	75	289	7	200	5	14	30	33
December	23	115	2	75	2	11	12	13
1969 January	144	364	10	197	3	9	122	23
February	143	432	2	336	5	25	26	38
March	96	751	7	675	5	21	18	24
April	105	311	10	177	1	21	50	51
May	108	396	9	265	13	23	35	52
June	96	405	3	273	13	21	39	56
July	170	427	2	111	44	22	190	58
August	133	558	5	450	12	20	32	38
September	88	394	22	284	1	24	20	42
October	280	1,849	966	467	20	49	45	302
November	196	520	6	266	18	26	70	134
December	50	364	1	228	3	8	68	56
1970 January	137	435	1	230	45	19	53	87
February	148	744	1	371	148	23	29	171
March								

(1) Stoppages involving fewer than 10 workpeople or lasting less than one day have been omitted except any in which the total number of working days lost exceeded 100. The figures for 1969 are provisional.

(2) From January 1970 the analysis by industries is based on the *Standard Industrial Classification 1968*. Figures prior to that date are based on the *Standard Industrial Classification 1958*.

(3) Where stoppages extend over more than one month, the workers involved are counted in the month in which they first participated.

(4) The figures of working days lost relate to the total working days lost within each of the periods shown as a result of stoppages *in progress* in that period, whether the stoppages began in that period or earlier.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

IV. SOCIAL SERVICES

National insurance and family allowances

TABLE 30 — **Great Britain** — Thousands

	National insurance							Family allowances	
	New claims for sickness benefit(1)	New claims for injury benefit(1)(2)	Insured persons absent from work owing to sickness (3) (4)	Insured persons absent from work owing to in dustrial injury (2) (3)	Current claims for unemployment benefit (5)	Retirement pensioners	Widows receiving pensions or widowed mothers' allowances (6)	Families receiving allowances	Children in families receiving allowances (7)
	Weekly averages					At end of period		At end of period	
1964	173·0	17·3	954·0	66·4	198·9	6,157	596	3,795	10,076
1965	183·9	18·4	995·5	73·7	167·0	6,359	594	3,870	10,293
1966	206·1	18·5	927(8)	73(8)	186·8	6,540	580	3,945	10,501
1967	193·2	18·8	945	76	333·1	6,770	568	4,039	10,743
1968	204·0	18·0	985	74	307·1	6,973	560	4,088	10,854
1969	219·4	17·9	998	73	286·4				
1967 October ...	206·9*	20·3*	947	75	..	..	..	..	..
November ...	216·0	19·8	963	78	318·0	..	..	..	..
December ...	234·1*	16·6*	997	75	..	6,770	568	4,039	10,743
1968 January ...	372·4	18·1	1,225	78	..	..	..	..	..
February ...	251·0	19·6	1,094	76	349·7	..	..	..	..
March	253·1	19·6	1,089	79	..	6,794	567	..	..
April	176·9*	16·3*	991	73	..	..	..	..	..
May	173·2	18·4	933	71	305·6	..	..	4,113	10,941
June	158·0	17·6	913	73	..	6,856	563	..	..
July	148·7*	17·1*	888	73	278·7	..	..	..	..
August ...	153·5	16·3	888	71	..	..	..	..	..
September ...	163·4	18·0	891	71	..	6,927	563	4,068	10,794
October ...	208·5*	20·5*	938	76	..	..	..	..	..
November ...	220·5	19·5	986	78	294·4	..	..	..	..
December ...	191·5*	15·9*	978	74	..	6,973	560	4,125	10,960
1969 January ...	288·2	17·7	1,100	71	..	..	..	..	..
February ...	293·7	20·1	1,093	76	322·7	..	..	..	..
March	329·3	18·5	1,221	81	..	7,015	559	..	..
April	209·8*	16·0*	1,078	72	..			..	..
May	173·6	17·9	953	70	280·9			4,191	11,128
June	171·2	18·2	920	69	..			..	..
July	156·3*	18·2*	895	73	262·6			4,109	10,871
August ...	151·0	16·2	891	73	..			..	..
September ...	172·8*	18·2*	895	71	..			4,108	10,861
October ...	202·6	20·0	963	76	..				
November ...	200·6	19·0	955	75	279·4				
December ...	295·1*	15·2*	1,010	73	..				
1970 January ...	504·4	14·4	1,700(9)	70(9)	..				
February ...	224·2	17·9	1,137	71	..				
March									

(1) Figures for individual months are averages of the four or five weeks ending on the last Tuesday of each month.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

(2) Including prescribed industrial disease.
(3) Yearly figures are averages of twelve monthly figures.
(4) These figures include substantial numbers of persons who have been sick for a long time and who may no longer be in employment.
(5) Yearly figures are averages of quarterly figures. Quarterly figures relate to first Monday in February, May and November and last Monday in July.
(6) Including a diminishing number of widows with pensions of 30s. a week derived from the old Contributory Pensions Acts.
(7) Including the elder or eldest child for whom no allowance is payable.
(8) Average of twelve months March 1966 to February 1967.
(9) The estimates shown for January 1970 for administrative reasons have not been based on 'claim papers in action'.
*Average of five weeks.

Supplementary benefits: Pensions and allowances

Great Britain

TABLE 31 — At end of period — Thousands

	Total number of supplementary benefits currently in payment	Supplementary pensions (persons over pension age)(1)			Supplementary allowances (persons under pension age)(1)				
		Retirement pensioners (2)	Widows receiving national insurance widows' pensions	Persons not in receipt of national insurance pension or benefit	Unemployed (including those not receiving national insurance benefit) (3)	Sick and disabled: With national insurance benefit (3)	Sick and disabled: Without national insurance benefit	Widows receiving national insurance widow's pension or benefit	Others (not in receipt of national insurance pension or benefit)
1967 April	2,599	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
May	2,605	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
June	2,610	1,650	59	185	191	164	145	63	154
July	2,619	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
August	2,648	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
September	2,665	1,672	58	184	215	165	147	65	159
October	2,558	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
November(4)	2,559	1,571	48	187	224	164	146	60	159
December	2,577	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1968 January	2,598	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
February	2,600	1,572	48	182	256	168	148	60	165
March	2,595	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
April	2,584	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
May	2,577	1,579	48	179	232	165	148	60	166
June	2,566	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
July	2,564	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
August	2,577	1,586	47	177	224	166	149	59	170
September	2,574	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
October	2,602	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
November	2,637	1,634	48	178	220	172	150	61	174
December	2,654	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1969 January	2,681	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
February	2,697	1,661	47	176	242	178	151	62	180
March	2,708	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
April	2,703	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
May	2,695	1,685	47	173	218	177	150	62	183
June	2,687	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
July	2,698	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
August	2,722	1,701	45	172	224	176	151	62	190
September	2,727	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
October	2,737	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
November	2,688	1,662	45	167	228	170	156	63	196
December	2,692	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1970 January	2,709	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
February	2,713	1,647	50	163	254	170	159	65	204
March		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

(1) Pension age means 65 years for men and 60 years for women.
(2) Some of the supplementary pensions provide for the requirements of a household with more than one pensioner.
(3) Includes a small number of persons over pension age.
(4) From November 1967, the method of compiling the statistics of the breakdown of the number of supplementary benefits has been revised.

Source: Department of Health and Social Security

National health service

TABLE 32

England and Wales

Thousands

	Hospital services							Executive Council services			
	In-patient departments				Out-patient departments			Pharmaceutical services	Dental services	Ophthalmic services	
	Staffed beds at end of period	Average daily occupation of beds	Discharges and deaths	Patients on waiting lists at end of period	Total attendances (1)	Consultant departments	Accident and emergency departments	Prescriptions dispensed by chemists, etc.(2)	Courses of treatment completed and emergency cases(3)	Sight tests paid for	Pairs of glasses paid for
1966	468·3	392·6	4,898	536·4	45,247	31,359	13,410	261,954	18,430	6,213	5,250
1967	467·4	393·0	5,012	537·0	46,145	31,996	13,652	271,206	19,411	6,451	5,486
1968	464·9	385·2	5,150	534·9	46,824	32,429	13,866	267,378	20,066	6,633	5,688
1969									20,225		
1966 4th quarter...	468·3	390·9	1,239	536·4	11,039	7,716	3,204	68,002	4,667	1,741	1,448
1967 1st quarter ...	468·3	403·1	1,227	536·9	11,325	8,077	3,129	68,837	4,899	1,562	1,340
2nd quarter...	467·9	392·9	1,260	540·9	11,793	8,131	3,538	67,213	4,910	1,576	1,363
3rd quarter...	467·8	386·3	1,252	537·5	11,599	7,874	3,725	62,815	4,666	1,506	1,270
4th quarter...	467·4	389·8	1,273	537·0	11,428	7,914	3,260	72,340	4,936	1,807	1,513
1968 1st quarter...	466·2	392·4	1,281	543·9	11,612	8,326	3,155	76,788	5,058	1,585	1,362
2nd quarter...	466·4	385·8	1,281	542·2	11,723	8,046	3,552	66,234	5,177	1,669	1,432
3rd quarter...	465·8	381·0	1,277	535·7	11,868	7,993	3,749	57,841	4,762	1,563	1,357
4th quarter...	464·9	381·6	1,311	534·9	11,621	8,064	3,410	66,514	5,069	1,816	1,537
1969 1st quarter ...	463·6	457·4	2,611	544·8	23,459	16,383	6,765	69,377	5,016	1,531	1,355
2nd quarter...								63,417	5,107	1,707	1,419
3rd quarter...								60,183	4,919	1,717	1,457
4th quarter...									5,183	1,766	1,552

(1) Includes general practitioner departments.
(2) Includes drug stores and appliance contractors.
(3) Number scheduled for payment.

Scotland

Thousands

	Hospital services					Executive Council services			
	In-patient departments				Out-patient departments	Pharmaceutical services	Dental services	Ophthalmic services	
	Staffed beds at end of period(4)	Average daily occupation of beds (4)	Discharges and deaths (4)	Patients on waiting lists at end of period (4)	Total attendances (4) (5)	Prescriptions dispensed by chemists	Courses of treatment completed and emergency cases	Sight tests given	Pairs of glasses supplied
1966	63·3	53·1	641	52·7	7,966	27,528	1,860	555	531
1967	63·7	53·6	657	52·1	8,180	28,205	1,831	571	549
1968	64·4	54·0	679	52·9	8,358	28,498	1,833	579	557
1969	64·1	55·3	693	53·3	8,488	28,167	1,841	584	571
1966 4th quarter ...	62·8(6)	53·0	324	55·4	4,097	7,250	567	149	150
1967 1st quarter ...						7,150	453	145	133
2nd quarter ...	62·6(6)	53·6	332	52·1	4,083	7,001	484	139	140
3rd quarter ...						6,522	427	136	126
4th quarter ...	62·9(6)	54·1	337	54·3	4,153	7,532	467	151	150
1968 1st quarter ...						8,098	453	144	135
2nd quarter ...	63·3(6)	53·6	343	52·9	4,205	7,093	479	143	141
3rd quarter ...						6,137	433	138	127
4th quarter ...	63·3(6)	56·7	343	55·4	4,259	7,170	468	154	154
1969 1st quarter ...						7,382	446	138	131
2nd quarter ...	63·1(6)	53·9	350	53·3	4,229	6,847	482	157	144
3rd quarter ...						6,387	440	148	147
4th quarter ...						7,551	473	141	149

(4) Annual figures at 30 September.
(5) At out-patient, accident and emergency, and ancillary departments.
(6) Excludes beds temporarily out of use.

Sources: Department of Health and Social Security
Scottish Home and Health Department

TABLE 33

Crops and grass: Area and harvest(1)

	Area at the June census				Estimated quantity harvested			
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1966	1967	1968	1969
	Thousand acres				Thousand tons			
Arable land	18,484	18,325	18,241	17,943				
Crops and fallow: Total	12,204	12,354	12,368	12,206				
Wheat: grain	2,238	2,305	2,417	2,059	3,420	3,841	3,414	3,320
straw					1,696	1,931	1,840	
Barley: grain	6,130	6,027	5,933	5,962	8,586	9,069	8,140	8,661
straw					4,425	4,682	4,377	
Oats: grain	907	1,012	945	945	1,102	1,364	1,205	1,298
straw					951	1,062	1,000	
Mixed corn for threshing	73	88	112	156	93	117	151	216
Rye (threshed)	10	11	11	9	11	12	11	11
Potatoes	669	708	691	614	6,476	7,087	6,738	6,117
Sugar beet	446	457	465	457	6,495	6,775	7,006	
Fodder crops:								
Beans and peas	103	140(2)	229(2)	220(2)	..	170(2)	221(2)	232(2)
Turnips, swedes and fodder beet	301	289	269	261	5,770	5,768	5,429	5,463
Mangolds	42	36	31	26	1,041	897	803	611
Other	328	309	293	292	5,076	4,646	4,411	4,184
Hops	20	19	18	17	11	11	10	10
Mustard	17	19	22	23				
Fruit	237	227	220	207	655	..	..	
Vegetables:(3)								
Total	368	409	442	474	2,961	..	..	
Carrots	29	30	35	42	477	493	569	
Onions	7	8	12	9	86	96	118	
Cabbage, savoys, kale, etc.	39	40	44	50	644	619	633	
Brussels sprouts	39	45	49	50	174	183	193	
Peas (harvested dry)	35	40	50	56	44	64(4)	51	
Peas (green for market)(5)	16	17	18	15	51	65	63	
Peas (green for canning and quick-freezing) (6)	87	101	109	116	172	173	173	
Beans (broad, runner and French)	26	29	30	34	107	132	110	
Tomatoes	2	2	2	..	81	85	83	
Other vegetables	88	97	93	102	1,125	..	..	
Hardy nursery stock			14	16				
Bulbs	34	34	14	15				
Flowers (not under glass)			6	5				
Other crops	18	34	36	35	39	54	29(7)	
Bare fallow	262	229	199	414				
Lucerne(8)(9)	47	37	..	..	89	65	..	
Temporary grassland(10)	6,233	5,934	5,873(11)	5,738(11)				
For mowing(9)	2,941	2,852	2,824	2,734	4,676(12)	4,705(12)	(12) 4,608(13)	(12) 4,573(13)
For grazing	3,292	3,082	3,049	3,004				
Permanent grassland: Total	12,199	12,328	12,195(14)	12,348				
For mowing(9)	3,018	2,998	2,872	2,938	3,880	3,933	3,787	3,959
For grazing	9,181	9,330	9,323	9,410				
Rough grazings (including common rough grazings)(15)	17,718	17,639	17,537	17,568				

(1) Excluding agricultural holdings of one acre or less in extent in Great Britain. In Northern Ireland excluding holdings of less than one acre. (2) Beans only. (3) Gross production figures are shown. (4) Includes some production diverted from green peas. (5) Weight in pod. (6) Shelled weight. (7) Excludes rape grown for oilseed in England and Wales. (8) England and Wales only. (9) Production figures relate to hay only. The production of hay in England and Wales is calculated from the area cut for hay and actually harvested and does not include the area mown for silage, drying or seed; the production of hay in Scotland and Northern Ireland is calculated from the area cut for hay only and does not include grass mown for silage or drying. (10) Clover and rotation grasses. (11) Includes lucerne. (12) Includes hay from permanent grass in Scotland. (13) Includes hay from lucerne. (14) Excludes some 47,000 holdings in England and Wales which make a negligible contribution to agricultural output. This affects comparison with permanent grassland acreage figures in previous years. (15) Includes the total area of deer forest land in Scotland.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Cattle and sheep on agricultural holdings

TABLE 34

Thousands

		Cattle								Sheep				
							Other cattle						Other sheep	
		Total	Cows and heifers in milk	Cows in calf but not in milk	Heifers in calf with first calf	Bulls and bull calves for service	Two years old and over	One year and under two	Under one year	Total	Ewes for breeding	Rams for service	One year old and over	Under one year
1964	June	11,627	3,549	577	798	91	1,048	2,526	3,038	29,657	11,918	334	3,530	13,875
	December ...	11,686	2,862	1,396	604	92	1,050	2,495	3,187	21,269	11,137	365	2,963	6,804
1965	June	11,943	3,640	564	760	93	978	2,524	3,383	29,911	11,946	336	3,738	13,891
	December ...	11,995	2,879	1,444	618	94	951	2,537	3,472	21,818	11,159	371	3,232	7,055
1966	June	12,206	3,703	565	750	93	957	2,692	3,447	29,957	12,019	344	3,737	13,857
	December ...	12,171	2,897	1,478	655	94	995	2,655	3,397	21,053	10,932	367	3,133	6,620
1967	June	12,342	3,776	579	816	92	1,003	2,714	3,361	28,885	11,760	332	3,583	13,211
	December ...	11,997	2,964	1,480	641	93	942	2,527	3,349	20,424	10,818	363	3,038	6,206
1968	June	12,151	3,815	562	826	90	923	2,581	3,351	28,004	11,415	327	3,475	12,787
	December ...	12,094	3,048	1,484	672	93	918	2,498	3,381	19,667	10,513	352	2,991	5,811
1969	June	12,374	3,894	592	822	91	879	2,623	3,474	26,604	10,946	313	3,323	12,022
	December ...	12,302	3,088	1,480	679	92	916	2,593	3,454	19,171	9,975	327	2,865	6,003

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Pigs and poultry on agricultural holdings

TABLE 35

Thousands

		Pigs						Poultry				
					Other pigs				Fowls			
		Total	Sows for breeding	Boars being used for service	Five months old and over	Two months and under five	Under two months	Total(1)	Total	Laying flock	Breeding flock	Table birds
1964	June... ...	7,379	903	47	1,221	3,271	1,937	118,377	112,921	79,872	5,868	27,181
	December ...	7,940	944	49	1,306	3,625	2,015	111,493	106,691	73,194	5,907	27,589
1965	June... ...	7,979	945	49	1,251	3,594	2,140	118,141	112,125	74,054	6,857	31,213
	December ...	8,125	900	48	1,325	3,849	2,005	112,594	106,956	71,050	6,222	29,684
1966	June... ...	7,333	822	43	1,179	3,392	1,897	118,940	113,525	73,841	6,908	32,777
	December ...	7,284	808	42	1,237	3,397	1,802	117,982	112,864	72,202	6,501	34,161
1967	June... ...	7,107	824	41	1,146	3,218	1,878	125,624	120,147	75,506	6,868	37,774
	December ...	7,532	851	43	1,247	3,485	1,907	122,857	116,875	72,774	6,582	37,419
1968	June... ...	7,387	887	44	1,149	3,309	1,998	127,459	121,753	74,163	6,868	40,721
	December ...	7,969	917	44	1,287	3,681	2,038	126,514	119,613	73,610	6,533	39,471
1969	June... ...	7,783	915	44	1,188	3,526	2,111	127,220	121,318	76,186	6,715	38,418
	December ...	8,141	923	44	1,242	3,828	2,104	132,297	125,624	76,207	6,505	42,912

(1) Fowls, ducks, geese and turkeys.

Sources: Agricultural Departments

Cereals and cereal products

TABLE 36 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Wheat and flour						Oats				Barley			Breakfast cereals(1)	Biscui
	Sales of home grown wheat for food (2)	Wheat milled		Stocks (3)	Flour produced	Flour disposals	Sales of home grown oats for milling	Oats milled	Products of oat-milling	Stocks	Sales of home grown barley for food (4)	Disposals for food and brewing	Stocks	Production	Production (5)
		Home produced	Imported												
1964	151	136	278	1,148	299	321	9	10	5·8	48	114	116	830	11·3	47·
1965(6)	138	134	288	1,138	306	327	9	11	6·3	37	118	128	814	11·3	48·
1966	140	134	288	1,085	304	322	9	10	5·8	44	188	196	769	12·0	48·
1967	145	132	282	957	304	312	9	9	5·5	54	183	190	774	12·1	49·
1968	148	139	273	1,019	302	311	9	10	5·7	45	152	162	649	12·8	50·
1969	133	123	302	938	307	316	9	10	5·6	60	113	118	763	13·7	49·
1967*April ...	200	166	349	1,165	377	376	5	7	4·3	39	183	237	612	16·1	57·
May ...	145	121	263	1,159	281	292	4	7	3·8	34	91	195	532	12·4	47·
June ...	118	123	273	1,146	291	303	2	7	4·1	34	48	113	486	13·0	46·
*July ...	35	126	323	1,055	330	343	2	8	4·8	23	39	112	363	15·0	51·
August ...	116	97	260	1,090	262	282	11	8	4·5	30	192	97	526	11·5	43·
September	200	131	277	1,110	300	305	26	11	5·6	49	371	189	758	11·8	47·
*October ...	195	170	319	1,060	361	366	23	12	7·6	63	188	168	778	13·7	61·
November	104	138	263	984	294	306	8	12	7·7	60	145	148	807	10·7	50·
December	127	121	250	957	273	286	8	12	6·7	54	152	172	774	7·4	38·
1968*January ...	187	175	326	1,007	371	367	9	14	8·7	48	202	206	775	13·6	54·
February...	194	139	246	1,099	287	291	10	10	5·9	47	211	248	760	12·9	46·
March ...	160	138	233	1,190	274	279	7	8	4·3	45	187	227	698	12·7	45·
*April ...	221	159	284	1,203	328	344	6	8	4·5	42	157	219	617	15·0	57·
May ...	158	141	238	1,194	280	294	3	5	3·6	40	116	175	562	13·1	48·
June ...	156	148	238	1,196	284	293	2	7	4·2	36	85	155	550	12·1	47·
*July ...	80	162	294	1,054	338	351	3	9	4·9	26	72	138	404	12·5	53·
August ...	58	112	262	990	275	287	6	8	5·5	22	132	94	443	12·3	43·
September	177	114	262	1,025	275	285	29	11	6·5	45	289	111	650	13·3	48·
*October ...	181	167	330	1,083	359	363	17	14	7·7	50	149	135	644	14·8	64·
November	109	125	283	1,027	294	301	10	10	5·8	49	126	117	683	12·1	51·
December	94	90	276	1,019	263	272	8	11	7·0	45	97	121	649	9·4	39·
1969*January ...	151	141	368	1,006	368	372	10	12	7·0	42	127	141	652	15·1	51·
February...	141	102	289	1,074	281	286	4	9	5·3	35	110	124	668	12·4	45·
March ...	141	112	286	1,108	288	296	5	8	4·6	31	86	118	632	14·7	46·
*April ...	151	125	361	1,126	353	371	4	9	4·8	32	74	180	519	15·9	58·
May ...	131	105	265	1,144	267	275	—	7	4·5	26	50	80	499	13·5	46·
June ...	108	104	301	1,138	295	302	1	7	4·0	27	27	104	482	13·9	45·
*July ...	51	118	374	1,013	356	375	1	6	3·8	24	24	97	414	15·3	51·
August ...	56	82	275	1,017	258	267	7	6	3·5	26	147	95	471	11·7	41·
September	187	118	281	999	287	295	29	11	6·4	51	299	110	687	12·7	48·
*October ...	212	186	318	989	365	373	21	15	8·6	62	169	129	723	15·9	65·
November	132	160	279	874	319	321	15	13	8·0	65	132	119	761	12·6	51·
December	132	124	223	938	251	261	6	12	7·1	60	116	124	763	10·7	38·
1970*January ...	203	192	321	1,007	373	371	10	15	7·9	52	145	146	794	13·2	
February...															
March ...															

(1) Other than oatmeal and oatmeal flakes.
(2) Flour millers' receipts of home grown wheat.
(3) Wheat, including flour in terms of wheat, held by certain food processors.
(4) Including quantities used for brewing, malting and distilling.
(5) From January 1969, series changed to show total disposals of home produced biscuits.
(6) 53 week period.
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Animal feedingstuffs

TABLE 37 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Maize				Oilcake and meal(1)						Wheat milling offals		
	Disposals			Stocks	Production	Disposals			Stocks				
	Total (2)	For animal feed(2)	Other (3)			Total	High and medium protein	Low protein	Total	High and medium protein	Low protein	Production	Disposals	Stocks
1966	272	180	92	183	38	127	116	11	140	123	17	120	126	29
1967	310	223	87	206	34	113	104	9	126	116	10	111	117	33
1968	310	215	95	238	30	109	104	5	157	142	15	111	117	22
1969	265	163	102	181	33	109	104	5	162	152	10	120	126	26
1968 *July ...	265	171	94	189	24	80	75	5	162	148	14	122	124	41
August	344	250	94	185	29	87	84	3	176	160	16	100	108	34
Sept. ...	190	92	98	194	22	96	89	7	169	154	15	103	108	31
*October	343	235	108	189	36	130	125	5	170	153	17	139	142	35
Nov. ...	333	233	100	183	32	115	111	4	165	147	18	114	126	33
Dec. ...	328	249	79	238	31	140	133	7	157	142	15	102	117	22
1969 *January	413	294	119	240	39	130	123	7	136	125	11	145	148	22
February	200	111	89	175	32	118	111	7	119	107	12	113	119	24
March...	250	150	100	156	28	125	117	8	98	87	11	118	119	27
*April ...	288	178	110	142	40	124	116	8	101	92	9	140	145	23
May ...	272	173	99	172	30	80	76	4	109	99	10	106	108	28
June ...	243	139	104	195	32	79	74	5	136	125	11	116	117	38
*July ...	214	110	104	202	26	86	81	5	135	126	9	139	151	35
August	181	96	85	179	30	89	87	2	138	127	11	101	110	34
Sept. ...	239	142	97	162	31	102	100	2	151	139	12	113	122	31
*October	243	124	119	165	38	128	124	4	154	140	14	141	149	32
Nov. ...	269	171	98	187	35	118	112	6	165	153	12	119	127	30
Dec. ...	376	273	103	181	34	134	129	5	162	152	10	95	102	26
1970 *January	296	193	103	202	40	157	155	2	131	118	13	142	145	29

(1) Excluding castor meal, cocoa cake and meal. (2) Including maize meal.
(3) Disposals for food and industrial uses. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Production of compound feedingstuffs

TABLE 38 — Monthly averages — Thousand tons

	Total	Cattle food	Calf food	Pig food	Poultry food	Other compounds
1966	778·7	242·4	32·2	161·2	328·2	14·7
1967	805·4	259·1	31·0	163·1	338·0	14·2
1968	815·7	265·5	31·1	173·2	331·4	14·5
1969	858·5	287·1	33·2	193·4	327·6	17·2
1967 1st quarter	850·7	322·6	36·6	151·1	314·6	25·8
2nd quarter	739·4	206·9	28·2	156·2	336·0	12·1
3rd quarter	733·5	192·5	24·0	166·6	343·0	7·4
4th quarter	898·1	314·5	35·2	178·5	358·6	11·3
1968 1st quarter	908·1	347·5	37·4	172·5	325·4	25·3
2nd quarter	748·5	214·1	28·8	164·8	327·5	13·3
3rd quarter	717·3	186·5	23·5	169·0	330·3	8·0
4th quarter	889·0	313·8	34·6	186·7	342·5	11·4
1969 1st quarter	931·3	363·2	38·6	190·5	310·1	28·9
2nd quarter	809·6	253·8	31·9	188·2	318·4	17·3
3rd quarter	777·3	213·2	26·6	194·5	332·7	10·3
4th quarter	915·8	318·1	35·8	200·2	349·2	12·5

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Potatoes, sugar and jam

TABLE 39 — Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period — Thousand t

	Potatoes(1)					Sugar(2)				Syrup and treacle	Glucose	Jam and marmalade		
	Sales from farms (3)	Disposals		Stocks		Production from home grown sugar beet	Disposals		Stocks (6)	Production	Production	Production	Disposals	Stock
		Total (4)	For food in the United Kingdom	Merchants' stocks	Farm stocks (Ware)		Total	For food in the United Kingdom (5)						
1964	383	408	403	38	2,626	67·1	248·6	211·8	850	4·3	19·1	16·5	17·6	33·4
1965(7) ...	406	430	402	35	3,025	73·4	246·1	222·1	813	4·4	20·6	16·9	17·5	32·0
1966	426	449	408	35	2,095	70·7	244·6	219·1	820	4·4	21·2	17·6	17·2	36·8
1967	370	401	400	33	2,907	73·7	243·1	217·0	851	5·0	22·2	16·8	17·2	36·6
1968	401	430	406	33	2,587	70·7	234·7	217·8	816	5·7	23·6	16·6	16·8	36·3
1969	389	412	400	33	2,132	75·9				6·2	25·7	15·7	16·2	34·3
1967 April ...	370	391	391	32	309	—	270·8*	236·5*	778	5·4*	26·5*	21·3*	20·6*	39·0
May ...	241	388	388	14	53	—	229·0	202·6	676	4·5	22·6	14·8	16·6	37·5
June ...	148	317	317	7	5	—	250·0	224·3	591	4·2	21·3	16·1	17·4	36·8
July ...	314	335	335	10	—	—	278·5*	238·8*	534	5·2*	22·2*	19·2*	19·2*	36·8
August	383	382	382	13	—	—	214·8	184·6	480	4·3	20·1	13·3	15·6	35·0
Sept. ...	416	410	409	19	—	24·3	237·2	207·2	446	5·9	23·4	15·3	16·1	34·5
October	475	471	468	23	4,007	252·4*	276·7*	260·8*	565	7·4*	25·1*	18·7*	19·5*	34·0
Nov. ...	461	455	449	29	3,436	218·6	217·8	203·3	707	5·8	23·6	15·9	16·0	34·8
Dec. ...	418	417	416	33	2,907	205·1	212·3	200·6	851	4·7	19·7	15·2	13·7	36·6
1968 January	462	471	441	28	2,322	172·9*	241·6*	225·1*	987	6·4*	25·3*	20·7*	22·3*	35·4
February	462	470	403	29	1,754	—	216·2	201·2	950	5·9	22·0	17·6	17·1	36·5
March ...	497	509	421	40	1,171	—	232·1	212·0	876	5·6	22·3	17·5	16·5	38·4
April ...	389	445	393	29	752	—	260·5*	243·2*	809	5·6*	24·7*	18·7*	19·1*	38·2
May ...	276	409	390	16	447	—	239·3	220·6	740	5·2	23·6	17·3	17·4	38·5
June ...	186	318	312	6	349	—	226·0	210·3	668	5·1	20·9	14·0	14·9	38·2
July ...	339	362	361	12	—	—	281·0*	260·4*	559	5·5*	24·0*	19·6*	19·1*	38·8
August	386	382	382	16	—	—	211·5	193·9	434	4·4	21·0	13·7	15·6	36·1
Sept. ...	419	416	416	19	—	19·9	228·1	210·9	362	4·9	25·7	13·8	14·6	35·2
October	495	492	489	22	3,793	235·3*	254·7*	237·8*	550	7·6*	29·0*	18·4*	18·4*	35·7
Nov. ...	460	455	450	28	3,207	215·6	217·3	202·5	670	6·2	24·8	14·9	14·3	36·6
Dec. ...	436	432	418	33	2,587	204·8	208·0	195·7	816	5·6	19·7	12·9	11·7	36·3
1969 January	447	444	429	38	2,029	196·7*	248·3*	232·1*	995	6·9*	28·3*	20·2*	21·0*	36·1
February	417	431	404	33	1,514	11·1	222·5	213·0	958	6·1	23·5	16·7	17·4	35·8
March ...	491	506	445	33	911	—	226·8	216·0	884	5·7	24·0	15·8	14·6	37·1
April ...	407	443	415	27	458	—	250·3*	230·2*	850	7·0*	28·5*	17·2*	19·6*	35·4
May ...	280	382	382	11	142	—	228·3	210·1	802	5·9	25·2	15·7	16·0	35·8
June ...	205	339	339	6	34	—	229·3	206·6	701	5·9	25·2	14·9	16·2	35·5
July ...	292	300	300	11	—	—	288·1*	268·4*	564	6·2*	27·3*	17·6*	17·3*	36·4
August	375	372	372	15	—	—	227·7	209·4	438	5·7	22·8	12·5	14·6	34·8
Sept. ...	419	415	414	19	—	5·1	218·1	209·0	441	6·0	24·3	14·1	15·2	33·6
October	487	483	479	23	3,137	238·3*	287·4*	260·4*	561	7·4*	31·8*	18·1*	17·4*	33·5
Nov. ...	445	440	438	28	2,612	236·0	217·2	203·1	716	6·7	26·7	13·7	13·5	33·7
Dec. ...	398	395	389	33	2,132	224·1				5·2	21·3	12·2	12·1	34·3
1970 January						144·4*				6·7*	29·3*	18·8*	18·5*	34·4
February														
March ...														

(1) Based on returns from Potato Marketing Board and Ministry of Agriculture, Northern Ireland.
(2) As refined sugar.
(3) Including quantities processed and fed to livestock under schemes for implementing the Agriculture Act, 1947, and seed sold for food.
(4) Disposals (excluding seed and chats) of home grown and imported potatoes for human consumption, processing, export and sales for stockfeed through schemes for implementing the Agriculture Act, 1947.
(5) Including sugar used in the manufacture of other foods.
(6) Imported and home produced supplies of refined and raw sugar. Supplies held by the British Sugar Corporation and by refiners in the United Kingdom are included.
(7) 53 week period (except for potatoes). *Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food

Animals slaughtered and meat produced

TABLE 40 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods

	Animals slaughtered(1) (Thousands)									Meat produced (Thousand tons)					
	Steers and heifers	Cows and bulls	Calves	Ewes and rams	Other sheep and lambs	Sows and boars	Other pigs: Used wholly for bacon	Other pigs: Used in part for bacon	Other pigs: Other uses	Total	Beef	Veal	Mutton and lamb	Pork	Offal (2)
1966	225	54	42	136	994	33	242	216	633	156·9	70·2	0·9	22·2	50·3	13·3
1967	245	54	51	120	978	26	212	229	561	156·2	74·4	1·1	21·5	45·8	13·3
1968	234	60	40	119	913	26	224	253	578	154·9	73·4	0·9	20·2	47·3	13·1
1969	219	63	35	113	755	32	241	276	620	149·8	70·7	0·8	16·9	50·6	10·8
1969* January	260	81	47	146	1,047	37	266	308	672	179·1	85·9	1·0	23·2	55·7	13·3
February	204	60	43	91	612	32	210	237	573	138·2	66·5	0·9	14·4	46·4	10·0
March...	197	62	51	88	479	34	232	264	565	135·5	64·9	1·1	12·1	47·7	9·7
*April ...	257	64	46	101	461	37	291	306	703	162·6	80·3	1·0	12·4	57·4	11·5
May ...	201	48	22	76	396	28	222	264	530	125·5	62·1	0·5	9·8	44·2	8·9
June ...	181	50	19	85	546	28	217	263	524	123·4	57·8	0·4	12·6	43·8	8·8
*July ...	217	53	28	110	869	31	284	326	595	148·9	67·4	0·6	19·1	50·9	10·9
August	196	45	27	111	845	27	228	277	533	133·8	60·2	0·6	18·3	44·9	9·8
Sept. ...	209	56	35	124	891	26	233	270	611	146·8	66·4	0·8	19·3	49·6	10·7
*Oct. ...	270	87	43	171	1,141	39	294	331	790	192·4	89·2	1·0	24·5	63·7	14·0
Nov. ...	230	84	32	143	984	34	220	245	644	163·1	78·5	0·7	20·8	51·1	12·0
Dec. ...	208	64	27	111	792	33	199	216	699	147·9	68·7	0·6	16·9	51·2	10·5
1970 *January	273	85	37	138	1,010	37	255	296	734	186·1	90·4	0·8	22·6	58·7	13·6
February	213	60	30	92	707	29	211	242	598	144·7	70·0	0·7	15·7	47·9	10·4
March...															

(1) Including imported fatstock. (2) Prior to 1969 the estimates have been calculated on a different basis. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Production of bacon, ham and canned meat and imported meat stocks in cold storage

TABLE 41 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Bacon and ham: Production: Wiltshire style	Bacon and ham: Production: Other bacon	Bacon and ham: Disposals(1)	Canned meat: Production	Imported meat stocks in cold storage: Total	Beef	Veal	Mutton and lamb	Pork	Offal
1966...	12·3	5·6	51·0	8·7	72·9	35·8	0·3	17·5	1·8	17·5
1967...	10·9	5·9	50·2	9·4	44·3	13·0	0·2	13·3	1·7	16·1
1968...	11·8	6·2	51·8	10·6	54·2	24·2	0·1	14·2	1·2	14·5
1969...	12·7	6·8	51·6	10·9	67·8	28·6	0·1	25·7	1·3	12·1
1969 January ...	12·8*	6·4*	58·5*		47·2	22·8	0·1	11·1	1·0	12·2
February ...	11·1	5·7	46·0	12·2	49·0	22·1	0·1	15·4	1·0	10·4
March ...	12·1	6·1	45·6		63·0	21·3	0·2	31·6	1·0	8·9
April ...	15·2*	7·8*	59·0*		73·6	20·8	0·1	41·9	1·4	9·4
May ...	12·4	7·0	45·9	11·1	70·4	18·5	0·1	42·1	1·5	8·2
June ...	11·3	6·5	50·4		66·0	17·3	0·1	38·2	1·4	9·0
July	14·8*	8·3*	62·0*		68·3	20·1	0·1	36·5	1·3	10·3
August ...	11·9	7·0	47·2	8·6	70·9	24·2	0·1	34·6	1·6	10·4
September...	12·2	6·3	48·3		70·6	27·2	0·1	30·0	2·2	11·1
October ...	15·6*	7·9*	63·2*		66·3	27·7	0·1	24·5	2·1	11·9
November...	11·3	6·2	47·3	11·6	65·7	27·4	0·1	24·2	2·1	11·9
December ...	11·6	6·0	45·9		67·8	28·6	0·1	25·7	1·3	12·1
1970 January ...	12·3*	6·3*	53·2*		72·6	25·9	0·1	32·3	1·3	13·0
February ...	10·9	5·6	46·5		78·7	25·5	0·1	41·0	1·2	10·9
March ...										

(1) Including disposals for canning. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Fish, oils and fats

TABLE 42 — Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Fresh, frozen and cured fish				Oilseeds and nuts					Vegetable oil (1)		Marine oil (1)		Mar-garine	Com-poun fat
		Disposals					Stocks(4)								
	British landings	Total (landed weight)	For food in the United Kingdom(2)		Crush-ed	Crude oil pro-duced (3)	Crude oil equi-valent	Cake equivalent		Disposals	Stocks (5)	Disposals (6)	Stocks (7)	Production	
			Landed weight	Filleted weight				High and medium protein	Low protein						
1964	66·4	77·6	69·5	36·1	74·0	25·2	24·4	54·3	5·3	53·0	56·5	12·6	47·0	29·3	12·2
1965(8)	72·6	82·8	70·9	36·9	72·0	23·8	27·0	56·4	9·8	52·5	67·4	14·8	53·3	26·2	11·5
1966	74·1	84·8	69·0	35·9	60·7	20·9	32·3	28·3	12·2	55·2	66·3	16·7	28·2	25·9	11·4
1967	69·6	82·0	69·9	33·2	55·0	19·2	17·1	37·9	2·4	52·2	65·5	18·6	67·8	25·3	11·4
1968	70·2	87·8	73·5	34·9	49·7	17·8	18·3	44·3	3·5	57·5	60·7	18·3	59·3	24·8	11·1
1969	72·8	87·4	72·0	34·1	48·8	15·3	14·2	31·7	2·6	57·3	57·3	19·1	35·7	26·0	11·2
1967 April	58·8				66·1*	22·4*	11·4	17·8	4·4	54·0*	63·6	23·1*	21·7	32·0*	13·5*
May	67·3	80·8	72·9	34·5	41·1	13·6	19·1	25·4	7·0	53·3	62·0	17·1	30·5	24·6	9·6
June	73·2				57·3	20·2	16·0	25·3	5·0	48·8	65·6	17·4	28·0	22·5	11·7
July	66·6				45·5*	15·2*	18·8	32·7	5·0	50·3*	67·2	17·6*	35·2	23·3*	11·2*
August	79·9	85·3	76·1	36·0	43·8	14·7	18·3	32·0	4·4	49·3	73·1	15·9	44·9	20·9	9·6
September	68·3				52·6	17·9	17·2	22·8	5·2	55·4	72·0	19·5	52·9	25·5	12·5
October	57·7				61·8*	22·3*	12·1	22·3	2·0	50·4*	64·9	23·6*	67·2	30·9*	14·5*
November	75·9	84·7	69·9	33·3	55·7	18·8	14·7	25·9	2·4	56·6	64·5	19·4	68·2	26·0	11·5
December	76·0				54·0	19·0	17·1	37·9	2·4	47·3	65·5	17·4	67·8	22·9	10·9
1968 January	81·2				73·3*	25·1*	20·2	36·1	5·7	56·8*	61·1	20·0*	64·5	26·8*	13·0*
February	78·5	91·7	71·2	33·8	54·4	18·8	19·3	29·3	6·4	54·4	61·2	18·9	58·5	25·7	10·9
March	64·5				48·9	17·5	19·4	28·3	4·1	64·8	57·4	19·8	48·9	24·7	12·0
April	65·5				52·8*	17·9*	16·6	19·1	4·7	51·1*	60·5	21·6*	43·2	28·5*	12·1*
May	68·5	79·8	68·1	32·2	44·1	17·8	22·8	32·5	6·8	61·9	61·1	18·3	34·1	22·9	10·8
June	67·8				45·4	17·2	18·9	24·3	6·5	52·7	67·6	17·3	35·8	21·4	10·3
July	76·5				41·0*	16·1*	19·1	21·4	9·8	60·1*	64·2	16·9*	41·1	23·8*	10·0*
August	69·0	89·6	79·0	37·6	45·5	16·8	19·8	25·2	7·5	51·8	72·9	16·7	35·0	22·5	9·4
September	62·3				36·2	13·7	20·3	25·4	7·3	59·2	66·3	17·1	43·3	21·9	10·8
October	67·8				56·2*	19·9*	17·7	23·9	5·3	65·2*	65·2	20·2*	42·4	29·5*	13·2*
November	66·7	90·2	75·7	36·1	51·3	17·5	15·7	27·9	3·5	49·5	67·4	15·4	55·1	25·4	10·7
December	74·5				47·3	15·9	18·3	44·3	3·5	62·2	60·7	17·8	59·3	24·5	9·7
1969 January	80·7				57·2*	17·0*	16·3	38·2	4·6	43·3*	73·1	18·6*	53·7	25·8*	11·4*
February	76·2	86·9	69·8	33·2	50·0	17·9	16·6	30·5	4·8	59·2	75·7	15·0	45·9	22·9	9·3
March	75·5				44·3	15·5	13·1	25·5	4·4	61·9	82·8	18·7	40·8	27·8	10·9
April	74·0				58·7*	18·5*	13·7	27·0	4·4	54·5*	87·5	20·1*	33·4	29·3*	12·1*
May	71·7	87·7	72·2	33·7	44·7	13·8	11·7	21·0	3·6	52·1	83·0	16·9	33·6	22·6	10·1
June	68·7				47·3	14·6	7·5	13·8	2·0	53·1	90·0	16·5	32·7	23·9	9·5
July	73·0				38·9*	11·8*	11·6	27·0	2·2	65·1*	75·9	19·4*	30·5	26·5*	11·2*
August	70·0	83·0	72·9	34·7	44·0	13·8	13·3	25·1	5·0	56·8	77·9	16·8	40·3	22·7	9·3
September	65·2				45·9	14·2	8·1	12·1	3·6	56·3	69·3	19·4	38·2	25·4	11·1
October	69·5				56·1*	17·8*	9·6	11·3	4·2	72·4*	61·0	25·3*	40·1	32·7*	15·0*
November	68·4	92·1	73·2	34·8	50·0	14·4	10·3	20·1	1·3	56·9	55·8	20·2	43·2	24·9	11·8
December	80·6				48·3	13·9	14·2	31·7	2·6	56·3	57·3	22·0	35·7	28·1	12·7
1970 January					54·7*	15·1*	15·1	23·4	5·4	53·5*	67·9	19·6*	40·2	28·1*	12·4*
February															
March															

(1) As crude oil. (2) Prior to 1969, including pet food.
(3) Including the production of maize oil. (4) Including quantities held by seed crushers.
(5) Including quantities held by seed crushers, hardeners and refiners of oil, and manufacturers of margarine, compound fat and soap. (6) For the manufacture of margarine and compound fat.
(7) Including quantities held by hardeners and refiners of oil and manufacturers of margarine and compound fat. (8) 53 week period (except for fresh, frozen and cured fish).
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Milk, milk products and eggs

TABLE 43

[Monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period Million gallons

	Total milk disposals (1)	Liquid milk					Milk for manufacture
		Total	National Milk Scheme		School milk	Full price	
			Free	Reduced price			
1966	201·1	137·6	0·7	18·3	4·7	113·9	63·5
1967	208·2	138·3	0·8	18·0	4·7	114·8	69·9
1968	213·8	137·8	1·2	17·7	4·3	114·6	76·0
1969	216·3	137·3	1·4	17·5	3·6	114·8	79·0
1969 January	194·2	138·6	1·2	18·0	4·0	115·4	55·6
February	179·8	128·9	1·1	16·4	3·9	107·5	50·9
March	209·0	142·3	1·2	18·0	4·5	118·6	66·7
April	217·9	134·6	1·0	18·0	2·4	113·2	83·3
May	258·1	140·8	1·5	18·1	4·2	117·0	117·3
June	249·7	136·6	1·6	17·3	4·6	113·1	113·1
July	235·0	138·0	1·6	17·6	3·2	115·6	97·0
August	221·9	134·6	1·6	17·6	0·3	115·1	87·3
September	211·8	136·0	1·6	17·1	3·9	113·4	75·8
October	217·6	141·7	1·6	17·7	4·5	117·9	75·9
November	202·1	137·8	1·6	17·2	4·2	114·8	64·3
December	198·4	138·1	1·6	17·6	3·3	115·6	60·3
1970 January	199·7	138·9	1·6	17·7	4·0	115·6	60·8
February	184·5	129·5	1·6	15·8	3·9	108·2	55·0
March							

Thousand tons

	Butter		Cheese		Condensed and evaporated milk(2)		Milk powder				Eggs in shell (million dozen)
							Full-cream		Skimmed(3)		
	Production (4) (5)	Stocks (6)	Production (4)	Stocks (7)	Production	Stocks (8)	Production	Stocks (8)	Production	Stocks (8)	Disposals
1966	2·5	37·6	8·8	41·4	17·1	27·1	2·3	2·4	5·0	12·6	99·7
1967	3·1	36·5	10·0	51·2	16·6	24·5	1·9	3·0	6·0	24·7	104·7
1968	4·2	50·6	9·8	70·7	15·7	18·2	2·0	2·7	7·9	26·0	105·0
1969	4·6	29·8	9·9	57·9	16·9	22·5	1·9	3·0	7·3	21·6	105·3
1969 January	2·5	62·9	7·6	72·5	13·7	18·2	1·2	2·2	3·8	20·9	
February	2·2	70·0	7·0	72·2	12·5	17·3	1·2	1·6	3·2	17·0	101·9
March	3·2	73·7	8·5	70·8	16·5	18·1	1·7	1·6	4·2	12·6	
April	4·0	78·8	11·3	72·1	18·7	19·8	2·5	2·2	6·2	11·0	
May	7·9	90·4	14·0	74·4	25·1	26·2	3·2	3·1	13·1	13·9	108·3
June	7·5	78·4	13·7	75·4	22·1	29·2	3·4	4·1	13·4	20·3	
July	5·8	70·6	11·0	71·0	19·9	29·0	2·8	4·8	9·8	21·0	
August	5·4	57·4	10·0	65·1	17·4	28·9	2·7	5·6	8·4	25·9	107·0
September	4·5	42·8	9·6	60·7	16·1	26·8	2·1	5·9	6·5	25·1	
October	5·1	31·2	9·8	59·3	15·9	25·1	1·0	4·5	7·3	24·7	
November	4·1	21·7	8·4	62·1	13·1	22·6	0·8	3·8	6·4	23·5	104·0
December	3·2	29·8	7·4	57·9	11·5	22·5	0·7	3·0	5·1	21·6	
1970 January	3·7	46·6	7·9	58·3	11·7	20·1	1·1	2·6	5·1	18·5	
February	3·1	54·6	7·5								
March											

(1) Sales through the Milk Marketing Schemes. (2) Whole and skimmed. Excluding skim concentrates and condensed milk used in the manufacture of chocolate crumb. (3) Skimmed powder excludes buttermilk and whey powder. (4) Figures are based on milk usage. (5) Excluding farm production. (6) Stocks held in cold storage. (7) Stocks held by importers, manufacturers and factors. (8) Stocks held by manufacturers only; importers' stocks not known.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food

FOOD AND DRINK

Canned fruit, vegetables and soups, cocoa, chocolate, tea, coffee and soft drinks

Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods
Stocks: end of period

TABLE 44 — Thousand tons

	Canned and bottled fruit		Canned vegetables		Canned soups (1)	Cocoa beans	Chocolate and sugar confectionary			Tea		Raw coffee		Soft drinks	
														Concentrated	Unconcentrated
	Production	Stocks (2)	Production	Stocks (2)	Production	Disposals	Production	Disposals	Stocks (2)	Disposals	Stocks (3)	Disposals	Stocks	Production	
														Million gallons	
1966	8·0	22·8	59·0	150·5	24·8	8·9	55·4	55·5	55·1	18·0	97·3	6·4	18·5	4·6	20·3
1967	6·8	20·0	61·2	171·3	22·1	7·8	55·4	56·9	52·5	18·9	98·0	6·9	14·6	5·1	20·8
1968	8·4	39·8	59·4	177·7	22·8	7·6	55·6	57·5	45·2	18·3	124·7	6·9	21·8	5·0	21·1
1969	8·6	52·4	65·0	163·8	23·8	7·6	56·8	57·0	56·7	17·8	98·7	8·2	23·8	5·5	21·8
1968 October ...	2·0	38·9	58·5	177·7	28·5	7·8	73·5*	80·4*	46·3	16·7	124·7	7·0	21·8	4·9	20·1
November ...							60·8	63·4	45·5					5·1	19·6
December ...							48·5	50·0	45·2					4·3	18·4
1969 January ...	3·9	28·5	64·6	167·1	26·1	7·9	64·9*	60·3*	51·2	17·6	127·4	9·0	20·5	3·8	17·8
February ...							53·1	55·0	49·9					3·7	15·2
March ...							56·4	58·7	48·7					4·8	16·6
April ...	11·3	33·1	51·1	135·8	21·4	8·4	64·7*	61·0*	53·5	18·0	119·0	8·8	17·6	5·8	21·0
May							57·2	55·7	56·4					5·9	23·0
June... ...							51·1	45·1	63·7					7·1	26·8
July	16·9	59·8	72·0	161·1	18·5	6·7	64·0*	56·5*	72·7	17·5	112·4	5·3	26·8	8·1	29·0
August ...							36·8	39·0	71·3					7·8	28·3
September ...							51·1	56·2	67·9					5·6	21·7
October ...	2·4	52·4	72·2	163·8	29·3	7·3	75·3*	87·5*	57·3	17·9	98·7	9·7	23·8	4·4	24·4
November ...							60·4	61·4	57·4					5·3	20·4
December ...							46·1	47·8	56·7					4·1	18·0

(1) Figures relate to ready-to-serve equivalent. (2) Stocks held by manufacturers only.
(3) Stocks now include those held by primary wholesalers which are available quarterly only.
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Tobacco

Monthly averages or calendar months
Stocks: end of period

TABLE 45 — Million lb.

	Warehouse stocks (leaf)	Quantities duty-paid									
		Unmanufactured leaf		Manufactured products			Gross quantity duty-paid	less Refunds			Net quantity duty-paid
		Full rate	Commonwealth rate	Cigars	Cigarettes	Other(1)		Cigarettes	Other manufactured products	Tobacco waste	
1966	397·25	11·02	14·04	0·04	0·04	0·04	25·20	2·65	0·23	2·51	19·81
1967	367·30	12·36	13·07	0·05	0·04	0·05	25·58	2·79	0·27	2·47	20·03
1968	370·40	14·01	11·69	0·06	0·04	0·12	25·92	3·03	0·38	2·63	19·88
1969	354·27	13·94	11·58	0·07	0·06	0·23	25·87	3·39	0·43	2·62	19·43
1968 October ...	..	17·20	12·91	0·10	0·05	0·17	30·41	2·93	0·39	2·90	24·19
November ...	..	14·44	11·19	0·11	0·05	0·15	25·94	3·06	0·32	2·90	19·66
December ...	370·4	12·31	9·44	0·07	0·04	0·15	22·00	2·59	0·28	2·25	16·87
1969 January ...	..	14·69	12·37	0·06	0·04	0·18	27·35	2·95	0·32	2·50	21·57
February ...	..	12·74	10·62	0·05	0·03	0·15	23·59	3·04	0·27	2·48	17·80
March ...	360·94	13·87	11·57	0·06	0·04	0·16	25·69	3·54	0·56	2·90	18·69
April ...	..	13·39	11·31	0·06	0·04	0·16	24·96	3·48	0·40	2·48	18·60
May	..	14·25	11·64	0·06	0·05	0·24	26·24	2·80	0·40	2·71	20·32
June... ...	364·20	13·73	11·18	0·06	0·04	0·23	25·25	3·53	0·34	2·52	18·86
July	..	13·92	11·46	0·06	0·04	0·22	25·70	3·96	0·52	2·93	18·29
August ...	..	13·51	11·29	0·06	0·06	0·25	25·17	3·46	0·54	2·42	18·75
September ...	353·91	14·21	11·75	0·07	0·06	0·25	26·34	3·49	0·52	2·58	19·76
October ...	..	15·46	13·12	0·10	0·05	0·30	29·03	4·03	0·56	2·78	21·67
November ...	..	14·12	11·72	0·12	0·10	0·33	26·38	3·35	0·31	2·64	20·08
December	354·27	13·35	10·87	0·06	0·13	0·29	24·70	3·07	0·37	2·52	18·74
1970 January (2) ...	..	13·38	11·23	0·06	0·08	0·29	25·04	3·47	0·40	2·63	18·54

(1) Including Cavendish tobacco made in bond in the United Kingdom. (2) Provisional.

Source: H.M. Customs and Excise

Alcoholic drinks

Spirits (potable)

TABLE 46 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Million proof gallons

	Production	Home consumption(1)								
		Total	Imported					Home produced		Medical (rebated)
			Rum	Brandy	Liqueurs	Other mature	Other immature	Mature	Immature	
1966	11·94	1·48	0·13	0·11	0·04	0·01	—	0·75	0·39	0·04
1967	10·68	1·49	0·13	0·12	0·04	0·01	—	0·77	0·39	0·03
1968	10·39	1·55	0·14	0·12	0·04	0·01	0·01	0·82	0·37	0·03
1969	11·60	1·46	0·13	0·11	0·03	0·01	0·02	0·77	0·34	0·03
1968 October	11·96	2·38	0·25	0·20	0·08	0·02	0·02	1·14	0·63	0·03
November	12·66	3·26	0·33	0·28	0·11	0·02	0·02	1·72	0·74	0·04
December	12·31	2·25	0·24	0·16	0·07	0·01	0·01	1·25	0·47	0·03
1969 January	9·30	0·70	0·08	0·12	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·32	0·10	0·04
February	10·57	0·87	0·06	0·05	0·01	0·01	0·02	0·54	0·13	0·04
March	12·70	1·07	0·08	0·06	0·01	0·01	0·02	0·59	0·25	0·04
April	11·89	1·40	0·11	0·09	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·77	0·35	0·03
May	12·49	0·92	0·08	0·08	0·01	0·01	0·02	0·48	0·20	0·03
June	11·57	1·14	0·08	0·07	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·58	0·33	0·02
July	8·84	1·25	0·10	0·08	0·02	0·02	0·03	0·65	0·32	0·04
August	7·98	1·16	0·09	0·09	0·02	0·01	0·01	0·58	0·32	0·02
September	11·85	1·48	0·14	0·12	0·03	0·01	0·02	0·76	0·38	0·02
October	12·43	2·44	0·22	0·22	0·07	0·02	0·03	1·10	0·72	0·04
November	13·21	2·58	0·29	0·21	0·09	0·02	0·02	1·42	0·48	0·04
December	16·33	2·52	0·28	0·18	0·07	0·02	0·02	1·43	0·48	0·03
1970 January(2)	11·35	0·77	0·10	0·06	0·02	0·01	0·02	0·40	0·10	0·06

(1) The sub-headings indicate the description of the spirits at the time of duty payment. (2) Provisional.

Beer and wines

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Beer				Imported wine							British wine
						Heavy		Light				
	Production	Total	Home-produced	Imported	Total	Full rate	Commonwealth rate	Full rate(2)		Commonwealth rate	Sparkling	
								Bottle	Other			
	Home consumption											
	Million bulk barrels				Million gallons							
1966	2·52	2·57	2·46	0·11	2·36	2·68	0·23	0·10	1·02	0·22	0·11	0·79
1967	2·56	2·62	2·51	0·12	2·67	0·77	0·24	0·14	1·11	0·26	0·14	0·80
1968	2·62	2·67	2·55	0·12	2·95	0·84	0·23	0·16	1·24	0·33	0·15	0·92
1969	2·74	2·78	2·66	0·12	2·81	0·80	0·19	0·16	1·20	0·31	0·15	0·93
1968 October	2·80	2·51	2·39	0·12	4·51	1·50	0·32	0·24	1·67	0·54	0·25	0·93
November	2·68	2·87	2·74	0·13	4·84	1·70	0·33	0·24	1·67	0·65	0·25	1·38
December	2·53	2·76	2·64	0·13	3·07	1·08	0·26	0·17	1·08	0·32	0·16	1·36
1969 January	2·36	2·56	2·46	0·10	2·22	0·47	0·15	0·12	1·16	0·22	0·09	1·02
February	2·13	2·40	2·31	0·09	1·84	0·38	0·16	0·12	0·90	0·20	0·08	0·95
March	2·48	2·18	2·06	0·12	2·27	0·48	0·14	0·13	1·10	0·29	0·13	1·00
April	2·67	2·54	2·43	0·11	2·59	0·65	0·20	0·16	1·15	0·26	0·17	1·04
May	2·91	2·73	2·61	0·12	2·59	0·62	0·18	0·15	1·20	0·33	0·10	0·90
June	2·87	2·97	2·84	0·13	2·35	0·63	0·17	0·14	1·10	0·17	0·14	0·60
July	3·28	2·92	2·78	0·14	2·65	0·60	0·19	0·16	1·27	0·30	0·14	0·77
August	3·12	3·35	3·22	0·14	2·48	0·67	0·18	0·12	1·12	0·27	0·11	0·67
September	2·69	3·19	3·05	0·13	3·07	0·96	0·22	0·18	1·17	0·40	0·14	0·78
October	2·91	2·74	2·61	0·13	4·42	1·63	0·25	0·21	1·60	0·48	0·24	1·04
November	2·79	2·97	2·85	0·13	4·09	1·48	0·28	0·23	1·49	0·41	0·21	1·22
December	2·72	2·84	2·71	0·14	3·16	1·08	0·20	0·20	1·15	0·35	0·19	1·16
1970 January(3)	2·05	2·76	2·67	0·09	1·67	0·36	0·10	0·11	0·88	0·13	0·09	0·78

(2) The sub-division distinguishes between wine imported in bottles and wine imported otherwise (for example, in casks). (3) Provisional.

Source: H.M. Customs and Excise

FOOD SURVEY

Estimated household food expenditure and consumption in Great Britain

Analysis by income of head of household(1)

TABLE 47

	All households		Analysed by weekly income of head of household(1)					
						Less than £11 10s.		
	1968 Fourth quarter	1969 Fourth quarter	£34 10s. and over	£20 and under £34 10s.	£11 10s. and under £20	With earners	Without earners	Old age pensioners
			Fourth quarter 1969					
Expenditure								
Total per head per week... ...	s. d. 38 0	s. d. 40 7	s. d. 42 5	s. d. 39 11	s. d. 39 0	s. d. 36 11	s. d. 41 0	s. d. 41 6
			pence per head per week					
Milk and cream	49·30	54·51	60·13	52·22	51·50	50·07	55·38	62·53
Cheese	9·78	10·73	12·54	10·47	9·99	10·73	11·93	11·08
Fats	23·50	24·77	25·67	24·20	24·50	21·61	27·95	28·71
Eggs	18·58	19·62	19·48	19·16	19·34	20·76	20·89	20·73
Carcase meat	67·96	73·12	84·95	70·38	67·11	71·18	65·80	73·74
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	18·91	20·22	20·08	20·21	19·94	17·55	21·47	23·12
All other meat	53·20	57·66	57·64	57·63	56·14	53·32	60·65	48·39
Fish	19·83	19·70	19·39	18·71	18·74	23·96	23·58	22·96
Fresh fruit	22·03	21·89	28·05	21·49	17·71	15·34	24·13	22·40
Other fruit...	12·21	13·78	18·07	13·47	11·82	10·09	9·86	11·65
Potatoes	11·84	13·60	10·45	13·58	14·82	15·44	11·56	11·83
Fresh green and other vegetables	29·58	32·07	33·15	32·90	30·81	25·55	30·54	25·01
Bread	29·76	30·52	26·00	30·20	33·15	32·33	31·30	33·12
Cereals, other than bread ...	42·45	43·56	42·13	43·88	43·21	28·91	47·73	44·42
Sugar and preserves	13·12	13·30	12·20	13·16	13·48	14·89	14·35	16·92
Tea	12·13	11·70	9·00	11·09	12·25	12·61	15·08	17·62
Other beverages and miscellaneous	22·27	26·11	30·41	26·03	23·96	18·17	20·03	24·16
			Ounces per head per week					
Consumption(2)								
Liquid milk ... ... (*pints*)	4·72	4·93	5·33	4·84	4·74	4·50	5·07	5·14
Milk, processed and cream (*pints or eq. pints*)	0·35	0·38	0·45	0·33	0·42	0·32	0·47	0·33
Cheese	3·32	3·54	3·91	3·50	3·40	3·63	3·86	3·70
Butter	6·15	6·08	6·80	5·98	5·72	5·21	7·04	7·45
Margarine	2·79	2·88	2·27	2·79	3·45	2·98	3·86	3·05
Other fats	3·03	3·23	2·91	3·26	3·33	2·20	3·41	2·87
Eggs ... ... (*number*)	4·51	4·56	4·68	4·46	4·56	4·71	4·90	4·82
Carcase meat	16·66	16·37	17·38	15·89	15·55	16·53	16·41	18·76
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	5·08	5·10	4·77	5·12	5·15	4·06	5·19	6·17
All other meat	17·03	17·71	17·59	17·58	17·50	16·73	19·17	14·98
Fish	5·45	5·40	4·90	5·09	5·41	6·44	6·83	6·98
Fresh fruit	20·72	21·77	27·74	21·37	17·58	15·74	25·01	26·13
Other fruit...	7·78	8·29	10·09	8·16	7·42	6·23	6·52	7·37
Potatoes	57·86	53·19	42·95	53·88	59·60	59·10	43·24	49·12
Fresh green vegetables	11·59	12·34	12·38	12·43	11·78	10·24	17·77	15·33
Other vegetables	23·75	23·79	21·32	24·40	24·77	23·00	25·16	21·37
Bread	38·02	37·26	31·27	37·16	41·02	39·15	38·18	38·65
Flour	5·85	5·95	5·29	5·43	7·04	2·92	7·52	9·50
Cakes and biscuits	12·34	11·72	10·10	11·70	12·12	8·25	12·75	13·47
Other cereals	7·88	8·13	8·38	8·19	8·00	5·75	9·73	7·74
Sugar	16·59	16·51	13·74	16·64	17·11	19·17	17·16	20·54
Preserves	2·69	2·65	2·79	2·59	2·54	2·55	3·13	3·54
Tea	2·65	2·52	1·86	2·41	2·63	2·79	3·42	3·88
Other beverages	1·00	1·08	1·36	1·01	0·89	0·76	1·17	1·55

(1) Ascertained or estimated gross income of head of household or of the principal earner if the weekly income of the head is less than £11 10s.

(2) Purchases *plus* free food, including withdrawals from stores of certain home-produced foods.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture Fisheries and Food, (National Food Survey)

Estimated household food expenditure and consumption in Great Britain

Analysis by composition of household

TABLE 47 (*continued*)

	All households		Households with one man and one woman and						
	Year 1968	Year 1969	no other (one or both 55 years of age or over)	no other (both under 55 years of age)	one child	two children	three or more children	adolescents only	children and adolescents
			Fourth quarter 1969						
Expenditure									
Total per head per week ...	s. d. 37 11	s. d. 40 0	s. d. 49 2	s. d. 54 1	s. d. 40 0	s. d. 35 4	s. d. 29 9	s. d. 48 0	s. d. 35 10
			pence per head per week						
Milk and cream	49·45	53·11	64·19	66·71	54·44	51·54	41·98	60·17	49·63
Cheese	10·09	10·43	14·39	15·50	9·42	8·53	6·13	13·90	9·75
Fats	23·35	23·77	32·68	33·91	23·03	20·31	18·71	30·86	22·08
Eggs	18·17	19·28	24·21	23·88	18·97	17·23	14·45	22·44	17·44
Carcase meat	64·12	68·09	96·70	106·90	70·61	59·37	43·89	93·37	62·38
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	18·86	19·93	27·24	25·76	18·83	15·35	14·32	24·55	18·52
All other meat	53·64	56·65	63·68	78·12	57·02	50·41	41·49	71·08	52·56
Fish	20·30	20·17	27·59	29·47	21·54	14·76	11·54	24·40	14·32
Fresh fruit	26·07	27·24	31·00	31·48	20·78	17·65	14·49	28·48	18·41
Other fruit	10·82	11·64	15·94	21·33	15·63	12·26	10·24	16·83	11·19
Potatoes	12·14	14·10	12·31	15·58	11·67	13·04	12·82	16·20	14·95
Fresh green and other vegetables	30·64	33·72	32·85	45·27	34·27	29·76	24·78	36·34	27·13
Bread	29·58	30·53	34·06	34·94	27·51	25·25	25·56	37·06	32·18
Cereals, other than bread ...	40·59	42·29	48·15	52·74	44·87	43·08	38·48	45·53	36·96
Sugar and preserves	13·02	13·22	18·35	16·75	11·97	11·75	10·43	13·66	12·23
Tea	11·89	11·62	17·59	15·95	9·18	8·22	7·48	13·47	9·64
Other beverages and miscellaneous	21·89	24·08	29·50	34·51	30·44	25·25	20·15	27·51	20·66
			Ounces per head per week						
Consumption[1]									
Liquid milk ... ... (*pints*)	4·82	4·89	5·20	5·38	5·15	5·04	4·70	4·92	4·55
Milk, processed and cream (*pints or eq. pints*)	0·40	0·40	0·36	0·43	0·55	0·34	0·36	0·30	0·29
Cheese	3·41	3·50	4·69	5·09	3·13	2·90	2·07	4·66	3·28
Butter	6·14	6·15	8·22	8·21	6·02	4·79	4·23	7·55	5·45
Margarine	2·81	2·78	3·35	3·25	2·28	2·82	2·99	3·66	2·85
Other fats	2·82	2·87	3·57	4·80	3·15	2·89	2·84	3·86	3·05
Eggs ... ... (*number*)	4·66	4·60	5·48	5·52	4·35	4·16	3·53	5·46	4·21
Carcase meat	16·00	15·82	22·59	23·42	15·72	13·13	10·23	20·43	13·49
Bacon and ham, uncooked ...	5·15	5·11	6·94	6·45	4·59	3·87	3·93	6·09	4·78
All other meat	17·32	17·57	19·13	23·48	17·40	16·16	13·34	20·81	16·17
Fish	5·69	5·46	8·01	8·00	5·24	4·17	3·25	6·42	3·90
Fresh fruit	22·57	23·22	33·93	28·89	21·14	17·38	14·02	29·41	18·34
Other fruit	7·34	7·55	9·47	12·54	9·19	7·42	6·48	10·48	6·74
Potatoes	51·92	49·31	54·61	62·62	48·94	50·06	52·37	63·11	62·14
Fresh green vegetables ...	13·05	12·25	19·21	16·14	12·48	9·77	7·19	15·47	10·08
Other vegetables	21·60	22·26	25·73	30·27	24·50	22·59	20·31	27·86	20·76
Bread	38·31	37·74	39·29	41·94	32·82	31·90	33·16	45·11	39·91
Flour	5·38	5·38	11·47	7·48	4·78	5·41	4·91	7·87	4·17
Cakes and biscuits	11·88	11·67	13·47	14·20	11·24	11·29	9·96	12·86	10·02
Other cereals	7·67	7·81	7·59	9·12	8·80	8·40	8·06	7·63	7·90
Sugar	16·35	16·18	20·42	20·82	14·99	14·92	14·10	17·12	15·10
Preserves	2·79	2·67	4·27	3·35	2·37	2·27	1·80	2·47	2·64
Tea	2·59	2·52	3·75	3·45	1·98	1·78	1·59	2·88	2·12
Other beverages	0·98	1·04	1·61	1·55	1·28	0·84	0·74	1·13	0·77

(1) See footnote (2) on page 42.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food (National Food Survey)

VI. PRODUCTION, OUTPUT AND COSTS

Index of industrial production(1)

TABLE 48 — Average 1963 = 100

	Total all industries	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing industries												
			Total all manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco			Coal and petroleum products	Chemicals and allied industries	Engineering and allied industries						
				Total	Food	Drink and tobacco			Total	Mechanical engineering	Instrument engineering	Electrical engineering	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	Vehicles (including aircraft)	Metal goods not elsewhere specified
Weights	*1,000*	*56*	*749*	*84*	*55*	*29*	*7*	*64*	*313*	*90*	*10*	*68*	*15*	*81*	*49*
1964 ...	108·3	100	108·7	102	100	106	109	110	109	109	108	109	97	108	114
1965 ...	111·7	96	112·4	105	103	109	115	117	113	115	120	109	95	114	117
1966 ...	113·2	90	114·2	109	107	112	122	123	116	123	122	121	93	112	110
1967 ...	113·9	89	114·2	111	109	115	116	130	116	123	123	129	90	106	105
1968 ...	119·8	85	121·4	116	112	122	126	140	122	125	135	137	87	117	113
1969 ...	122·9	80	125·5	119	116	125	139	149	127	131(3)	148(3)	145(3)	85	118	120
Unadjusted															
1969 Jan.	121	84	121	109	113	100	134	148	122	120	145	136	85	114	125
Feb.	126	87	126	110	112	104	141	149	127	130	145	138	85	118	130
March	128	87	130	114	115	112	140	151	134	146	160	158	86	110	131
April	121	81	123	114	110	121	143	151	122	121	144	130	85	122	120
May	124	89	127	120	115	129	138	152	128	133	141	140	86	126	117
June	126	80	132	120	113	133	139	153	135	139	153	148	85	132	127
July	113	76	116	119	112	130	134	145	116	122	140	135	85	104	103
Aug.	109	63	112	117	108	134	134	140	109	113	133	125	85	100	96
Sept.	123	79	128	120	117	127	135	148	131	135	151	157	85	117	120
Oct.	126	72	132	131	126	140	140	156	130	130(3)	157(3)	155(3)	86	118	123
Nov.	132	88	136	134	129	145	144	149	139	141(3)	160(3)	160(3)	86	131	129
Dec.	124	79	124	118	114	125	148	143	131	140(3)	146(3)	152(3)	86	119	114
1970 Jan.(3)	123	77	122	114	117	106	144	151	122				85	109	122
Seasonally adjusted															
1969 Jan.	121	83	124	116	114	121	138	147	123	122	150	142	85	117	118
Feb.	121	79	123	115	114	115	145	142	124	128	141	138	85	115	122
March	123	80	124	115	115	116	138	142	125	132	148	145	86	106	123
April	123	79	125	120	116	127	141	150	126	128	153	143	85	117	121
May	123	79	126	118	115	126	133	149	128	134	147	141	86	121	120
June	124	81	126	117	113	122	135	146	128	133	154	141	86	122	119
July	124	81	127	119	116	124	138	152	129	131	153	143	85	126	119
Aug.	123	79	126	122	116	133	144	154	127	131	151	149	85	119	113
Sept.	122	80	125	116	111	127	137	145	132	134	148	156	85	122	119
Oct.	122	69	126	123	118	130	140	156	126	130(3)	152(3)	151(3)	86	111	115
Nov.	125	80	128	123	119	129	142	150	131	136(3)	149(3)	149(3)	86	123	124
Dec.	124	81	127	122	119	127	139	152	127	133(3)	135(3)	140(3)	86	120	119
1970 Jan.(3)	123	79	125	121	118	128	147	150	124				85	112	115

See footnotes on page 45

Source: Central Statistical Office

Index of industrial production(1)

TABLE 48 (*continued*)

Average 1963 = 100

	Manufacturing industries (*continued*)														
	Metal manufacture			Textiles, leather and clothing				Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.							
	Total	Ferrous	Non-ferrous	Total	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur	Clothing and footwear	Total	Bricks, cement, etc.	Pottery and glass	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Construction (2)	Gas, electricity and water
Weights	*60*	*46*	*14*	*88*	*56*	*4*	*27*	*29*	*19*	*10*	*21*	*59*	*25*	*127*	*68*
1964 ...	113	114	111	105	106	103	104	115	119	109	114	109	112	111	105
1965 ...	118	120	113	108	108	104	107	117	121	110	113	111	117	114	112
1966 ...	111	112	108	107	108	102	106	116	118	112	110	115	120	115	117
1967 ...	105	105	104	103	105	90	101	120	124	112	111	114	123	119	121
1968 ...	111	111	111	113	119	93	104	127	130	122	118	118	135	122	128
1969 ...	114	116	109	115	123	94	103	128	128	129	111	123	143	119	136
Unadjusted															
1969 Jan.	114	115	109	112	121	101	96	126	125	128	105	123	131	115	162
Feb.	121	121	121	122	127	103	114	126	123	132	106	125	140		178
March	121	121	121	122	127	101	114	131	128	138	115	128	144		168
April	116	116	115	114	123	94	101	130	128	134	99	120	139	123	137
May	120	122	114	115	126	91	98	135	133	137	107	128	143		120
June	126	128	119	121	132	101	101	131	139	118	117	126	151		106
July	99	98	103	103	107	84	96	125	127	121	102	112	135	120	98
Aug.	93	93	95	103	109	81	94	118	117	119	108	108	130		97
Sept.	116	120	102	118	123	90	113	125	128	121	119	123	143		111
Oct.	116	120	102	124	131	97	114	138	134	144	126	134	155	118	124
Nov.	120	124	109	126	137	97	109	136	135	138	119	134	154		158
Dec.	111	116	96	105	116	85	86	117	114	121	105	119	145		176
1970 Jan. (3)	114	118	102	110	120	93	93	123	120	127	92	127			180
Seasonally adjusted															
1969 Jan.	114	116	109	116	124	98	104	129	128	131	115	122	134	118	130
Feb.	114	114	115	116	123	98	104	126	123	130	109	121	135		148
March	115	116	113	113	119	94	103	129	127	134	115	123	137		150
April	113	112	115	117	126	94	102	131	130	132	105	121	144	122	133
May	119	121	116	117	126	93	101	130	129	132	106	120	143		130
June	119	121	114	120	127	99	107	129	129	128	106	125	142		135
July	113	112	113	112	119	95	101	130	133	125	108	125	148	118	133
Aug.	111	110	114	115	121	98	106	124	125	122	112	125	149		128
Sept.	110	114	96	116	125	87	102	124	120	131	111	123	142		132
Oct.	111	114	101	115	122	93	104	130	129	131	116	125	147	118	130
Nov.	115	118	106	116	125	91	102	130	131	127	118	124	147		136
Dec.	118	126	95	112	120	88	100	128	125	131	106	126	145		145
1970 Jan.(3)	115	119	102	114	123	90	101	125	123	129	101	126			143

(1) This index provides a general measure of monthly changes in total industrial production. The unadjusted index allows for variations in the length of calendar months so that it gives the average weekly rate of production in each month. The seasonally adjusted index allows for holidays and regularly recurring seasonal movements.

As some of the figures on which the index is based are available only with considerable delay, the index numbers for the last few months are always liable to be revised. Industries are grouped according to the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1968*.

(2) For an index of construction (new work only) for Great Britain, see Table 105. (3) Provisional.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Output per head (1)

TABLE 49

1963=100

	Gross domestic product	Employed labour force	Gross domestic product per head	All production industries			Manufacturing industries			Metal manufacturing			Engineering and electrical goods		
				Output	Employment	Output per head	Output	Employment	Output per head	Output	Employment	Output per head	Output	Employment	Output per hea
1961 ...	95·5	99·5	96·0	95·7	101·4	94·4	95·7	101·9	93·9	101·1	105·7	95·6	96·1	99·4	96·
1962 ...	96·8	99·9	96·9	96·7	101·1	95·6	96·1	101·2	95·0	95·6	100·9	94·7	97·7	100·8	96·
1963 ...	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·
1964 ...	106·0	101·3	104·6	108·3	101·7	106·5	108·7	101·4	107·2	113·3	104·5	108·4	108·9	102·6	106·
1965 ...	108·8	102·2	106·4	111·7	102·8	108·7	112·4	102·6	109·6	118·2	106·3	111·2	112·9	105·9	106·
1966 ...	110·6	102·4	108·0	113·2	102·5	110·4	114·2	102·6	111·3	111·3	104·0	107·0	121·7	108·0	112·
1967 ...	112·4	101·0	111·3	113·9	99·7	114·2	114·2	99·7	114·5	104·7	98·9	105·9	125·5	106·8	117·
1968 ...	116·7	100·3	116·4	119·8	98·0	122·2	121·4	98·8	122·7	111·1	97·2	114·3	130·9	105·1	124·
1969 ...	119·0			122·9			125·5			114·4			137·8		
Seasonally adjusted															
1963 1st qtr.	95·8	99·3	96·5	94·0	99·1	94·9	94·6	100·1	94·5	93·3	99·6	93·7	96·7	100·1	96·
2nd qtr.	99·7	100·0	99·7	99·4	100·0	99·4	98·9	99·8	99·1	96·2	99·6	96·6	99·0	99·8	99·
3rd qtr.	101·7	100·1	101·6	102·5	100·2	102·3	102·4	99·9	102·5	103·1	99·9	103·2	101·9	99·8	102·
4th qtr.	102·9	100·6	102·2	104·1	100·6	103·5	104·1	100·2	103·9	107·4	100·9	106·4	102·3	100·4	101·
1964 1st qtr.	104·1	100·8	103·3	106·1	101·2	104·8	106·4	100·6	105·8	108·4	102·7	105·6	105·0	101·4	103·
2nd qtr.	105·7	101·1	104·6	107·9	101·5	106·3	108·1	101·2	106·8	113·6	104·3	108·9	109·1	102·3	106·
3rd qtr.	106·3	101·5	104·7	108·4	101·8	106·5	108·9	101·6	107·2	113·0	105·2	107·4	108·9	102·9	105·
4th qtr.	107·6	101·8	105·7	110·6	102·4	108·0	111·4	102·1	109·1	117·7	105·8	111·2	112·6	103·9	108·
1965 1st qtr.	108·3	102·1	106·1	111·3	102·7	108·4	111·5	102·4	108·9	119·4	106·4	112·2	111·7	104·8	106·
2nd qtr.	108·1	102·1	105·9	111·3	102·7	108·4	112·4	102·5	109·7	117·9	106·5	110·7	110·2	105·5	104·
3rd qtr.	108·9	102·1	106·7	111·6	102·9	108·5	112·2	102·7	109·3	118·3	106·2	111·4	113·0	106·3	106·
4th qtr.	110·0	102·6	107·2	112·9	103·0	109·6	113·8	102·9	110·6	117·1	106·1	110·4	116·5	106·9	109·
1966 1st qtr.	110·6	102·8	107·6	113·5	103·0	110·2	115·1	103·0	111·7	115·2	105·3	109·4	120·6	107·6	112·
2nd qtr.	110·7	102·7	107·8	113·5	102·9	110·3	114·8	102·9	111·6	113·5	104·4	108·7	120·7	108·0	111·
3rd qtr.	111·0	102·5	108·3	114·0	102·6	111·1	115·1	102·9	111·9	110·2	103·9	106·1	122·6	108·4	113·
4th qtr.	110·2	101·7	108·4	111·7	101·6	109·9	111·9	101·8	109·9	106·3	102·4	103·8	123·1	108·1	113·
1967 1st qtr.	110·6	101·1	109·4	112·4	100·8	111·5	112·6	100·8	111·7	105·3	100·7	104·6	123·1	107·5	114·
2nd qtr.	112·2	101·1	111·0	113·4	100·0	113·4	113·5	100·1	113·4	104·8	99·4	105·4	126·8	107·1	118·
3rd qtr.	112·6	101·0	111·5	113·7	99·3	114·5	113·8	99·3	114·6	103·0	98·2	104·9	125·5	106·4	118·
4th qtr.	114·2	100·7	113·4	116·0	98·7	117·5	116·6	98·8	118·0	105·7	97·4	108·5	126·6	106·0	119·
1968 1st qtr.	116·0	100·5	115·4	117·8	98·4	119·7	118·5	98·7	120·1	106·9	97·3	109·9	128·1	105·4	121·
2nd qtr.	115·4	100·3	115·1	118·6	98·1	120·9	119·9	98·7	121·5	109·9	97·2	113·1	131·5	105·1	125·
3rd qtr.	117·1	100·1	117·0	120·6	97·8	123·3	122·4	98·8	123·9	112·6	97·3	115·7	131·4	105·0	125·
4th qtr.	118·3	100·2	118·0	122·4	97·9	125·0	124·7	98·9	126·1	115·1	97·3	118·3	132·5	104·9	126·
1969 1st qtr.	117·5	100·2	117·3	121·8	97·8	124·5	123·6	99·2	124·6	114·4	98·0	116·7	134·0	105·2	127·
2nd qtr.	119·2	100·0	119·2	123·2	97·5	126·4	125·7	99·3	126·6	117·0	98·5	118·8	136·7	105·6	129·
3rd qtr.	119·1			123·0	97·1	126·7	126·2	99·1	127·3	111·1	98·3	113·0	140·2	105·6	132·
4th qtr.	120·2			123·7	96·8	127·8	127·0	99·1	128·2	114·6			139·2		

(1) For a description of these series, see the article in the October 1968 issue of *Economic Trends*. Statistics for certain other industries (mining and quarrying, vehicles, textiles, gas, electricity and water) are given in the *Employment and Productivity Gazette*.

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Department of Employment and Productivity

Total home costs and labour costs per unit of output(1)

TABLE 50

1963=100

	Whole economy		
	Total home costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs
1960	91·7	90·8	90·1
1961	94·7	95·6	95·1
1962	97·9	99·5	99·2
1963	100·0	100·0	100·0
1964	102·6	102·5	102·5
1965	106·7	106·7	107·2
1966	110·5	112·3	114·6
1967	114·7	115·2	117·5
1968	117·5	118·4	121·8
Seasonally adjusted			
1963 1st quarter	99·0	101·5	101·3
2nd quarter	99·6	98·9	98·8
3rd quarter	100·3	99·5	99·7
4th quarter	101·0	100·1	100·3
1964 1st quarter	101·1	100·9	101·0
2nd quarter	102·2	101·8	101·8
3rd quarter	103·3	102·9	102·9
4th quarter	103·8	104·4	104·3
1965 1st quarter	104·9	104·6	104·5
2nd quarter	105·9	106·2	106·7
3rd quarter	107·8	107·4	108·1
4th quarter	108·3	108·7	109·5

	Whole economy		
	Total home costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs
1966 1st quarter	109·2	111·3	112·0
2nd quarter	110·8	113·7	114·4
3rd quarter	111·4	111·4	113·4
4th quarter	110·5	113·0	118·7
1967 1st quarter	113·6	113·1	114·9
2nd quarter	114·4	114·0	116·2
3rd quarter	115·2	116·5	119·1
4th quarter	115·5	117·1	119·7
1968 1st quarter	116·3	117·7	120·1
2nd quarter	117·2	117·6	120·4
3rd quarter	118·3	118·9	122·8
4th quarter	118·4	119·4	123·8
1969 1st quarter	119·6	122·4	125·7
2nd quarter	121·1	122·9	126·7
3rd quarter	121·6	124·4	129·6

	Production industries		Manufacturing industries		Metal manufacture		Engineering and electrical goods	
	Wages and salaries	Labour costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs	Wages and salaries	Labour costs
1960	93·0	92·0	93·0	91·9	88·5	87·4	94·9	93·8
1961	98·0	97·3	99·0	98·3	98·9	98·1	98·2	97·5
1962	100·5	100·2	101·2	100·8	102·0	101·7	100·4	100·1
1963	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	100·0
1964	101·1	101·0	100·6	100·6	101·0	100·8	101·3	101·3
1965	106·1	106·5	106·1	106·5	106·1	106·3	108·9	109·3
1966	110·6	113·0	110·8	113·4	114·7	117·0	108·9	111·6
1967	111·5	111·5	112·4	110·7	119·6	118·1	109·0	107·5
1968	112·7	114·1	113·9	113·7	119·7	120·2	110·8	110·8

(1) See footnote to Table 49.

Sources: Central Statistical Office
Department of Employment and Productivity

VII. FUEL AND POWER

Coal

TABLE 51 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period — Thousand Tons

	Production			Consumption			Stocks(1)		
	Total	Deep mined	Opencast	Total	Inland consumption(2)	Exports	Distributed	Opencast sites and central stocking grounds	Collieries
1964	3,724	3,593	131	3,716	3,601	115	17,270	2,150	18,277
1965	3,606	3,465	141	3,621	3,549	72	16,535	2,920	18,595
1966	3,357	3,222	135	3,414	3,359	55	18,413	3,319	15,230
1967	3,311	3,174	137	3,187	3,151	36	18,567	4,252	23,441
1968	3,155	3,023	132	3,216	3,164	52	17,072	4,228	23,801
1969	2,895	2,774	121	3,174	3,108	66	15,422	3,159	15,322
1967 April	3,393	3,260	133	3,287	3,253	34	13,402	3,728	18,214
May	3,609	3,478	131	3,138	3,111	27	13,796	3,862	19,715
June	3,248*	3,111*	137*	2,746*	2,716*	30*	15,402	3,958	20,834
July	2,990	2,849	141	2,535	2,499	36	16,682	4,054	21,631
August	2,415	2,286	129	2,334	2,305	29	16,974	4,151	21,958
September	3,062*	2,913*	149*	2,764*	2,727*	37*	17,695	4,257	22,661
October	3,483	3,337	146	3,102	3,062	40	18,660	4,297	23,264
November	3,587	3,457	130	3,434	3,382	52	19,205	4,274	23,572
December(3)	3,689*	3,542*	147*	3,844*	3,794*	50*	18,567	4,252	23,441
1968 January	3,312	3,187	125	3,911	3,873	38	15,770	4,192	22,436
February	3,610	3,471	139	3,901	3,867	34	14,949	4,167	22,352
March	3,548*	3,404*	144*	3,689*	3,640*	49*	14,301	4,180	22,573
April	3,184	3,054	130	3,143	3,109	34	13,996	4,242	23,374
May	3,537	3,397	140	3,135	3,078	57	14,779	4,338	24,296
June	2,968*	2,832*	136*	2,680*	2,640*	40*	15,876	4,456	24,778
July	2,805	2,684	121	2,606	2,568	38	16,816	4,476	25,119
August	2,436	2,297	139	2,508	2,471	37	17,063	4,502	24,947
September	2,932*	2,800*	132*	2,860*	2,793*	67*	17,960	4,419	24,587
October	3,256	3,119	137	3,032	2,970	62	19,123	4,375	24,588
November	3,393	3,264	129	3,439	3,357	82	19,081	4,328	24,659
December	2,943*	2,830*	113*	3,668*	3,594*	74*	17,072	4,228	23,801
1969 January	3,089	2,984	105	3,863	3,803	60	15,068	4,056	22,724
February	3,300	3,185	115	3,964	3,900	64	13,064	3,994	22,495
March	3,281*	3,158*	123*	3,925*	3,840*	85*	11,439	3,868	21,053
April	2,946	2,836	110	3,245	3,186	59	11,454	3,784	20,471
May	3,263	3,143	120	3,098	3,023	75	12,620	3,724	20,039
June	2,825*	2,708*	117*	2,701*	2,637*	64*	14,390	3,645	19,470
July	2,696	2,572	124	2,492	2,427	65	16,125	3,624	18,939
August	2,136	2,027	109	2,240	2,182	58	16,879	3,579	18,424
September	2,753*	2,625*	128*	2,707*	2,635*	72*	17,889	3,494	17,848
October	2,476	2,336	140	2,820	2,741	79	18,111	3,407	16,906
November	3,126	2,984	142	3,236	3,183	53	18,051	3,322	16,549
December	2,829*	2,704*	125*	3,714*	3,654*	60*	15,422	3,159	15,322
1970 January	2,688	2,564	124	3,788	3,730	58	12,330	2,994	14,189
February	3,151	3,023	128	3,842	3,760	82	10,913	2,850	13,125
March									

(1) Stocks held in Northern Ireland are excluded.
(2) Including shipments to the Channel Islands.
(3) Week ended 30 December 1967 is omitted from the figures.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Inland consumption of coal

TABLE 52

Weekly averages

Thousand tons

	Collieries	Power stations (1)	Gas works	Coke ovens	Other conversion industries	Industry	Transport	Domestic: merchants' sales		Miscellaneous (2)
								House coal	Anthracite and dry steam coal	
1966	60	1,320	325	476	52	485	36	476	33	96
1967	55	1,293	280	454	62	440	19	430	33	85
1968	47	1,407	205	480	67	434	7	410	36	71
1969	39	1,460	132	488	73	417	5	380	37	77
1969 January ...	46	1,825	193	492	79	496	7	508	46	111
February ...	47	1,899	197	491	76	499	7	507	48	129
*March ...	47	1,863	187	496	73	476	7	518	46	127
April ...	42	1,450	153	503	76	445	6	404	29	77
May	40	1,347	124	498	80	421	5	388	35	85
*June ...	35	1,148	103	508	68	381	5	308	30	51
July	33	1,065	96	492	71	347	4	267	29	23
August ...	29	944	92	485	69	314	4	216	17	12
*September ...	33	1,190	95	470	72	345	4	329	38	59
October ...	32	1,290	101	441	71	400	4	307	34	61
November ...	41	1,573	115	458	84	444	5	345	36	82
*December ...	44	1,861	131	513	65	443	6	441	49	101
1970 January ...	40	1,889	132	506	85	457	7	489	43	82
February ...	42	1,926	133	498	82	438	7	456	45	133
March ...										

(1) Public supply electricity and railway and transport power stations.
(2) Including shipments to the Channel Islands.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Distributed stocks of coal

Great Britain

TABLE 53

End of period

Thousand tons

	Power stations	Gas works	Coke ovens	Industry	Merchants' stocks		Miscellaneous
					House coal	Anthracite and boiler fuel	
1965	10,027	1,445	1,295	1,612	1,627	195	334
1966	11,833	1,630	1,334	1,447	1,494	342	333
1967	12,744	1,261	1,385	1,322	1,354	255	246
1968	12,490	726	1,107	1,135	1,093	290	231
1969 January	10,869	618	1,081	1,084	957	260	199
February	9,280	526	1,101	1,041	711	228	177
March	7,917	477	1,183	1,014	492	184	172
April	8,069	443	1,200	984	398	188	172
May	8,964	437	1,274	1,035	531	200	179
June	10,271	458	1,325	1,098	822	222	194
July	11,555	483	1,310	1,181	1,119	263	214
August	12,515	479	965	1,122	1,288	305	205
September	13,386	480	960	1,139	1,407	312	205
October	13,528	487	942	1,162	1,456	328	208
November	13,109	489	1,300	1,183	1,376	347	247
December	11,018	461	1,231	1,128	1,079	280	225
1970 January	8,626	376	1,057	1,051	825	200	195
February	7,367	315	1,179	1,021	695	161	175
March							

Source: Ministry of Technology

Coal and oil consumption by main industrial groups(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 54 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons

	Total all industries		Iron and steel		Engineering and other metal industries		Food, drink and tobacco		Chemicals and allied industries	
	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil
1966	426·2	308·0	24·5	90·0	43·6	46·2	41·4	21·8	95·7	45·1
1967	386·0	322·0	16·7	91·1	39·7	49·6	36·5	24·4	89·2	50·0
1968	380·9	337·8	15·1	94·7	37·2	52·6	33·5	26·4	90·1	54·1
1969	365·9	352·9	14·8	99·0	35·1	55·7	30·8	28·8	84·7	55·8
1969 January	430·0	396·3	17·9	106·0	50·4	77·7	52·2	31·3	96·6	60·4
February	432·3	422·2	20·0	111·7	54·8	86·6	36·8	31·3	97·7	62·1
*March	414·3	414·8	18·9	111·8	51·1	82·5	25·7	30·7	93·6	60·7
April	382·0	364·1	14·8	100·4	42·6	63·8	23·6	27·7	89·6	56·2
May	369·7	349·0	13·8	99·2	34·6	51·6	25·0	27·7	87·3	55·0
*June	332·7	302·7	12·1	95·8	23·6	32·7	21·9	25·4	79·4	46·9
July	309·2	276·2	11·2	80·8	18·6	28·3	20·4	23·4	75·6	48·7
August	282·8	263·9	9·3	82·4	13·3	23·0	21·6	21·6	70·7	48·6
*September	309·8	296·3	12·2	90·5	19·7	30·6	20·1	24·2	76·4	51·4
October	352·3	346·0	13·0	98·6	27·8	45·6	37·7	31·3	79·0	57·0
November	389·7	392·4	16·0	104·2	38·3	66·6	44·4	35·8	84·8	60·2
*December	390·0	408·1	17·3	104·5	46·3	78·4	43·5	36·2	86·5	62·8
1970 January	388·2	429·4	17·2	111·0	48·8	84·5	38·3	38·0	88·2	64·9
February										
March										

	Textiles, leather and clothing		Paper, printing and stationery		Cement, bricks, tiles, fireclay and other building materials		China, earthenware and glass		Other industries	
	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil	Coal	Oil
1966	40·1	20·3	58·0	18·2	83·6	33·2	6·4	15·7	32·9	16·0
1967	35·4	21·5	52·9	20·1	79·9	31·9	5·4	15·9	30·3	17·5
1968	34·1	23·2	52·2	21·7	85·6	30·1	4·5	16·5	28·6	18·5
1969	32·6	24·4	52·5	23·6	85·2	27·1	3·1	18·5	27·1	20·0
1969 January	38·0	28·2	54·5	25·0	85·5	26·8	4·2	18·5	30·7	22·4
February	40·9	31·0	55·9	26·8	88·7	29·0	4·1	19·4	33·4	24·3
*March	41·4	30·3	57·1	26·9	89·3	27·5	4·0	20·5	33·2	23·9
April	34·5	26·1	53·9	22·7	90·5	28·0	3·4	18·4	29·1	20·8
May	34·1	24·9	53·8	23·0	89·0	29·1	3·2	18·6	28·9	19·9
*June	28·1	19·8	52·2	21·8	88·1	26·4	2·3	17·1	25·0	16·8
July	24·4	16·5	45·1	19·4	89·1	25·7	2·4	16·9	22·4	16·5
August	21·9	15·5	43·3	17·8	80·2	25·4	2·4	15·3	20·1	14·3
*September	26·7	19·3	50·8	21·3	79·0	24·8	2·6	17·5	22·3	16·7
October	30·4	23·1	52·8	24·8	83·6	27·2	2·8	19·3	25·2	19·1
November	35·0	28·0	56·3	26·8	85·1	29·3	3·0	20·1	26·8	21·4
*December	35·5	29·4	53·4	26·6	76·5	27·0	3·0	19·3	28·0	23·9
1970 January	36·8	31·2	55·9	28·2	72·6	27·3	2·9	20·2	27·5	24·1
February										
March										

(1) Large consumers only. The oil figures relate to gas/diesel and fuel oils and creosote/pitch mixtures used for burning.

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Coal: Productivity(1)

TABLE 55

Weekly averages

	Number of wage earners on colliery books		Average number of shifts per wage earner per week		Absence percentage		Average output in cwt. per manshift worked	
	Total	Underground						
	Thousands		Overall	Underground	Voluntary	Involuntary	Overall	At the coal face
1964	498	396	4·27	4·08	5·66	10·12	34·35	102·41
1965	466	370	4·13	4·02	5·77	11·70	35·90	108·30
1966	427	338	4·13	4·02	5·87	11·77	36·35	112·82
1967	401	316	4·10	4·03	5·41	12·37	38·18	116·84
1968	350	277	4·11	4·03	4·67	13·44	41·70	129·34
1969	311	245	4·06	3·98	4·74	13·52	43·45	136·94
1967 January	413	326	3·59	3·50	6·05	12·72	36·90	114·45
February	413	326	4·45	4·36	5·53	12·83	38·56	117·57
*March	411	324	4·23	4·26	5·69	13·23	38·89	118·31
April	409	323	4·15	4·09	5·76	11·77	37·97	115·89
May	407	321	4·42	4·33	4·89	11·48	38·40	117·34
*June	405	319	4·11	4·00	5·40	11·88	37·29	114·77
July	401	317	3·85	3·73	5·22	11·47	36·74	115·03
August	398	314	3·29	3·16	6·04	11·44	34·77	110·48
*September	396	311	3·99	3·89	5·68	12·22	36·74	112·62
October	391	308	4·34	4·26	5·05	13·34	39·17	118·12
November	388	305	4·40	4·35	4·94	13·11	40·17	121·06
*December(2)	384	303	4·45	4·40	4·88	12·50	41·07	123·63
1968 January	380	300	4·03	3·97	5·78	15·59	41·24	124·45
February	376	297	4·35	4·28	4·79	14·90	42·21	127·57
*March	370	292	4·33	4·26	4·85	14·90	42·31	128·47
April	361	286	4·13	4·05	4·73	12·00	40·66	126·05
May	356	282	4·50	4·43	3·74	11·68	42·10	129·69
*June	350	278	3·99	3·89	4·44	12·52	40·15	126·00
July	345	274	3·89	3·78	4·43	11·95	39·75	126·62
August	340	270	3·37	3·27	5·03	12·25	39·61	127·79
*September	336	266	4·03	3·95	4·80	13·43	40·83	128·22
October	332	262	4·35	4·27	4·67	14·37	42·83	133·66
November	329	260	4·44	4·37	4·38	13·91	44·30	136·68
*December	326	257	3·94	3·86	4·43	12·64	43·73	137·37
1969 January	323	256	4·12	4·05	5·47	14·17	44·38	137·41
February	321	254	4·32	4·25	5·20	15·08	45·49	138·74
*March	320	253	4·28	4·20	4·84	16·67	45·80	140·04
April	317	251	4·10	4·02	4·81	13·12	43·24	135·25
May	315	248	4·50	4·42	3·96	11·76	43·92	138·37
*June	312	246	4·05	3·95	4·30	12·22	42·45	135·55
July	309	244	3·99	3·88	4·70	12·29	41·29	132·49
August	307	242	3·25	3·14	5·12	12·19	40·23	132·13
*September	305	240	4·01	3·93	4·92	13·12	42·39	134·35
October	303	238	3·68	3·59	4·49	14·04	41·29	135·90
November	301	237	4·44	4·37	4·35	13·36	44·13	138·17
*December	300	236	3·98	3·91	4·79	13·04	44·81	141·74
1970 January	299	235	3·76	3·68	5·94	18·88	45·19	141·05
February	298	234	4·40	4·34	4·59	14·72	45·70	142·66
March								

(1) Mines operated by the National Coal Board which account for about 99 per cent of the total output. Changes in the basis of the recorded figures have occurred from time to time making comparisons difficult. The figures given in this table have therefore been adjusted where necessary to conform throughout to the current definitions given in the *Supplement of Definitions and Explanatory Notes*.

(2) Week ended 30 December 1967 is omitted from the figures.

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Coke

Great Britain

TABLE 56 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period — Thousand ton

	Production			Inland consumption				Overseas shipments	Stocks		
					Coke oven coke						
	Total	At coke ovens	At gas works	Total	Blast furnaces	Other	Gas coke		At coke ovens	At blast furnaces	At gasworks
1964	493	324	169	446	227	87	132	20	1,806	294	2,161
1965	478	328	150	443	229	84	130	11	1,404	181	1,608
1966	448	310	138	404	204	85	115	12	1,332	150	1,424
1967	414	295	119	376	191	86	99	9	1,315	177	1,529
1968	401	313	88	383	207	91	85	9	984	201	1,138
1969	376	319	57	370	205	102	63	11	381	398	464
1967 April	433	305	128	396	203	84	109	7	1,368	127	1,477
May	411	298	113	380	198	85	97	9	1,366	137	1,463
June	386*	298*	88*	342*	196*	72*	74*	9*	1,360	144	1,449
July	376	288	88	309	178	68	63	8	1,390	190	1,474
August	364	278	86	296	174	64	58	8	1,465	204	1,502
September	387*	289*	98*	342*	188*	87*	67*	6*	1,432	181	1,585
October	401	293	108	367	189	93	85	9	1,389	182	1,608
November	420	294	126	386	193	93	100	9	1,375	188	1,626
December(1)	428*	294*	134*	428*	190*	103*	135*	10*	1,315	177	1,529
1968 January	431	299	132	439	197	105	137	12	1,252	175	1,454
February	429	300	129	430	194	105	131	8	1,181	193	1,383
March	428*	307*	121*	428*	196*	103*	129*	9*	1,144	231	1,292
April	413	314	99	388	214	83	91	9	1,177	217	1,266
May	404	316	88	378	218	88	72	8	1,116	191	1,262
June	385*	313*	72*	347*	214*	77*	56*	7*	1,101	183	1,289
July	377	310	67	317	193	72	52	7	1,153	206	1,293
August	371	310	61	325	207	73	45	10	1,180	192	1,313
September	380*	314*	66	364*	216*	89*	59*	9*	1,107	184	1,307
October	393	319	74	372	215	84	73	10	1,101	159	1,279
November	398	323	75	397	216	103	78	14	1,051	162	1,238
December	402*	323*	79*	412*	208*	112*	92*	11*	984	201	1,138
1969 January	403	322	81	427	207	114	106	10	937	217	1,020
February	406	322	84	428	218	112	98	14	882	200	920
March	402*	321*	81*	441*	217*	117*	107*	9*	752	206	737
April	387	317	70	385	211	101	73	10	724	184	699
May	376	322	54	377	219	101	57	10	673	172	649
June	374*	327*	47*	351*	218*	94*	39*	9*	629	196	637
July	366	324	42	302	179	86	37	8	656	310	622
August	356	316	40	293	182	80	31	12	679	379	615
September	358*	315*	43*	330*	191*	97*	42*	14*	639	440	591
October	342	297	45	334	201	89	44	17	544	403	561
November	360	310	50	364	206	101	57	13	471	381	526
December	382*	326*	56*	396*	206*	123*	67*	11*	381	398	464
1970 January	377	320	57	397	207	118	72	11	319	370	402
February			58						295	360	341
March											

(1) Week ended 30 December 1967 is omitted from the figures.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Production of gas

TABLE 57

Weekly averages

	Fuel used for gas making		Total gas available at gasworks	Gas made at gasworks				Gas purchased					
									Natural gas			Refinery gas	Coke oven gas
	Coal	Oil		Total	Coal gas	Water gas and other gas	Oil gas	Total	North Sea	Other indigenous	Imported		
	Thousand tons		Million therms										
1964	391	28·97	65·4	44·5	29·4	10·0	5·1	20·9	—	0·5	0·6	11·0	8·8
1965	348	43·80	72·8	45·3	25·9	9·5	9·9	27·5	—	0·5	4·7	13·8	8·5
1966	322	60·38	78·0	49·7	23·9	7·9	17·9	28·3	—	0·4	4·7	15·2	8·0
1967	276	78·26	84·0	51·8	20·2	4·7	26·9	32·2	3·0	0·4	5·7	15·4	7·7
1968	203	99·07	94·3	54·1	14·9	2·7	36·5	40·2	13·1	0·4	6·9	12·7	7·1
1969	131	101·04	106·3	50·4	9·5	1·5	39·4	55·9	30·8	0·3	6·8	11·4	6·6
1967 April	293	95·13	93·0	59·8	21·4	5·9	32·5	33·2	—	0·5	8·3	16·4	8·0
May	246	74·83	78·3	47·9	17·9	4·3	25·7	30·4	—	0·5	8·2	14·1	7·6
*June	205	44·14	56·4	32·7	14·9	2·6	15·2	23·7	0·7	0·4	3·0	12·6	7·0
July	203	32·82	48·1	27·6	14·7	2·1	10·8	20·5	2·6	0·4	0·3	10·0	7·2
August	206	30·05	48·9	27·2	14·9	3·0	9·3	21·7	4·0	0·3	0·2	10·2	7·0
*September	233	39·45	59·4	32·7	16·6	3·4	12·7	26·7	4·5	0·3	2·0	12·6	7·3
October	267	61·39	79·4	43·4	19·3	3·9	20·2	36·0	6·2	0·4	6·7	14·9	7·8
November	300	111·62	108·8	66·6	22·0	6·4	38·2	42·2	8·6	0·4	8·2	17·1	7·9
*December	307	130·96	119·4	75·1	22·5	6·4	46·2	44·3	9·4	0·4	8·2	18·5	7·8
1968 January	311	150·60	128·8	83·8	22·5	6·9	54·4	45·0	10·0	0·4	8·7	18·0	7·9
February	300	157·55	130·6	84·8	22·1	5·4	57·3	45·8	10·4	0·4	9·5	17·6	7·9
*March	278	140·38	118·9	75·9	20·7	3·6	51·6	43·0	11·0	0·4	8·1	15·8	7·7
April	225	103·24	95·8	58·2	17·0	3·0	38·2	37·6	9·5	0·3	7·5	13·4	6·9
May	201	92·92	89·2	52·5	14·6	3·1	34·9	36·7	9·2	0·4	8·3	11·5	7·3
*June	165	48·88	60·0	31·8	12·0	1·5	18·3	28·2	5·5	0·3	7·3	8·6	6·5
July	151	51·57	57·2	31·4	10·9	1·7	18·8	25·8	4·1	0·3	5·2	9·6	6·6
August	141	48·96	54·8	29·5	10·1	1·3	18·1	25·3	6·2	0·3	4·3	8·3	6·2
*September	150	51·14	64·9	30·0	10·8	1·5	17·7	34·9	15·2	0·3	3·4	9·4	6·6
October	164	71·58	81·4	39·1	12·7	0·7	25·7	42·3	18·6	0·4	6·0	10·6	6·7
November	178	126·86	116·4	62·0	13·1	2·5	46·4	54·4	25·2	0·4	6·5	15·1	7·2
*December	186	147·15	133·4	72·0	13·4	2·2	56·4	61·4	30·5	0·4	8·4	14·7	7·4
1969 January	192	153·32	139·0	75·3	13·8	2·1	59·4	63·7	34·6	0·3	7·3	14·4	7·1
February	195	208·44	155·9	97·7	14·1	3·8	79·8	58·2	19·2	0·4	11·9	19·2	7·5
*March	185	209·85	148·0	96·7	13·4	3·6	79·7	51·3	19·8	0·4	6·2	17·6	7·3
April	151	127·74	112·7	61·8	10·7	1·5	49·6	50·9	21·1	0·4	9·8	12·6	7·0
May	124	88·89	92·0	43·8	8·9	1·0	33·9	48·2	23·9	0·4	7·1	10·1	6·7
*June	103	45·08	68·6	26·0	7·7	0·5	17·8	42·6	22·2	0·3	5·8	7·9	6·4
July	96	30·60	58·0	19·8	7·1	0·4	12·3	38·2	20·8	0·3	4·1	6·7	6·3
August	91	26·70	53·5	17·8	6·6	0·5	10·7	35·7	18·8	0·3	4·4	6·2	6·0
*September	97	35·68	68·9	22·3	6·9	0·7	14·7	46·6	27·5	0·3	5·2	7·9	5·7
October	100	51·50	85·6	28·8	7·2	0·7	20·9	56·8	37·6	0·3	5·1	8·1	5·7
November	115	95·42	126·3	47·1	8·1	1·0	38·0	79·2	54·8	0·3	6·3	11·8	6·0
*December	130	134·10	160·4	63·6	9·3	1·3	53·0	96·8	66·7	0·3	8·8	14·0	7·0
1970 January	130	134·22	166·6	63·9	9·2	1·3	53·4	102·7	74·5	0·2	7·5	13·7	6·8
February	132	130·70	169·5	62·3	9·3	1·0	52·0	107·2	79·4	0·3	7·1	13·6	6·8
March													

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Generation of electricity by the public electricity supply system

TABLE 58

	Fuel used(1)			Electricity generated				Electricity sent out	Total electricity available (3)	Output capacity	New plant brought into commission	Maximum load(4)
	Coal	Coke breeze	Oil	Total(2)	By steam plant: Nuclear	By steam plant: Other	By water power					
	Monthly averages or calendar months									At end of period	During period	
	Thousand tons			Million kilowatt hours						Megawatts		
1964	5,654	56	473	13,716	445	12,972	285	12,803	13,073	37,820	599	35,108
1965	5,786	36	520	14,783	1,063	13,362	327	13,755	14,059	41,465	3,668	37,731
1966	5,674	46	597	15,345	1,487	13,471	323	14,254	14,579	43,786	2,564	38,600
1967	5,576	52	606	15,928	1,773	13,685	420	14,740	15,031	47,469	3,910	40,722
1968	6,111	36	522	17,030	2,005	14,646	320	15,758	16,104	51,029	4,173	42,884
1969	6,317	14	676	18,202	2,106	15,687	327	16,833	17,184	52,735	2,777	43,888
1967 July	4,052	27	467	11,608	1,416	9,975	192	10,681	10,924	44,113	57	23,814
August ...	4,243	27	462	12,110	1,599	10,261	227	11,137	11,433	44,630	517	24,366
September ...	4,861	33	536	13,413	1,391	11,704	275	12,398	12,671	44,630	—	25,341
October ...	5,761	43	584	16,175	1,559	13,924	652	14,974	15,233	45,935	1,307	33,739
November ...	6,787	58	656	19,029	1,971	16,468	534	17,639	17,923	46,086	136	36,060
December ...	7,130	54	680	20,254	2,242	17,462	463	18,780	19,123	47,469	1,367	38,656
1968 January ...	7,759	64	623	21,335	2,278	18,480	486	19,827	20,165	47,757	288	40,722
February ...	7,380	71	580	20,292	2,200	17,620	405	18,831	19,198	47,825	68	37,737
March ...	6,810	50	559	19,219	2,299	16,461	421	17,797	18,102	48,242	916	36,747
April ...	5,676	39	491	16,076	2,082	13,557	389	14,869	15,171	48,227	17	33,469
May	5,722	36	485	15,909	1,852	13,732	275	14,748	15,085	48,244	17	29,760
June... ...	4,644	26	365	12,626	1,419	11,047	137	11,643	11,987	48,390	197	25,682
July	4,707	24	427	13,066	1,470	11,404	166	12,029	12,280	48,494	104	25,164
August ...	4,811	25	387	13,178	1,595	11,404	148	12,131	12,478	48,494	—	25,895
September ...	5,174	20	451	14,205	1,683	12,264	203	13,096	13,443	48,845	351	28,364
October ...	5,827	25	495	16,725	2,238	13,997	461	15,455	15,822	48,844	25	30,894
November ...	7,006	26	665	19,801	2,368	16,928	396	18,341	18,721	49,459	615	36,844
December ...	7,815	22	742	21,924	2,573	18,862	359	20,332	20,790	51,029	1,575	39,743
1969 January ...	7,835	25	605	21,955	2,560	18,979	369	20,359	20,755	51,083	83	41,412
February ...	7,827	17	665	21,812	2,421	18,900	393	20,303	20,679	51,163	108	42,884
March ...	8,062	20	715	22,527	2,543	19,582	287	20,912	21,268	51,275	890	40,265
April ...	6,073	16	601	17,753	2,290	15,174	237	16,392	16,759	51,267	25	34,159
May	5,635	13	528	16,164	2,067	13,765	279	14,879	15,273	51,265	25	31,548
June... ...	4,865	11	583	14,000	1,477	12,303	169	12,926	13,256	51,404	140	27,225
July	4,559	9	525	13,447	1,832	11,418	174	12,368	12,655	51,421	17	26,257
August ...	4,470	11	576	13,514	1,952	11,307	215	12,392	12,734	51,472	53	26,527
September ...	5,217	12	589	14,969	1,759	12,898	260	13,781	14,093	52,167	695	30,630
October ...	5,782	11	793	17,305	1,925	14,871	454	15,965	16,260	52,019	25	33,748
November ...	7,300	10	880	21,285	2,149	18,368	599	19,735	20,068	52,044	25	40,921
December ...	8,176	11	1,048	23,690	2,295	20,674	491	21,981	22,408	52,735	691	42,417
1970 January ...	8,291	14	1,099	24,168	2,355	21,151	449	22,403	22,878	52,975	230	43,888
February ...	7,628	15	988	22,070	1,928	19,618	411	20,470	20,865	52,939	—	42,770
March ...												

(1) Excluding quantities used for production of steam for sale. In 1969, 252,000 tons of coal and 17,000 tons of oil were used for that purpose.
(2) Including generation by oil engine, refuse destructor, and waste heat.
(3) Including purchases from industrial producers whose generation is shown in Table 59, and net imports from France.
(4) Annual figures relate to the maximum load occurring near the end of the year or early in the following year.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Generation of electricity outside the public electricity supply system

Great Britain

TABLE 59 — Weekly averages — Million kilowatt hours

	Total (1)	Transport undertakings	Total mining and manufacturing industries	Chemicals: Nuclear power stations (2)	Chemicals: Other	Iron and steel	Engineering	Textiles, leather and clothing	Food, drink and tobacco	Paper	Other industries
1964	318·3	16·2	302·1	57·8	83·4	56·9	27·5	10·7	8·0	49·8	8·0
1965	326·6	14·9	311·7	58·9	86·0	58·2	28·8	10·8	8·0	52·9	8·1
1966	323·5	12·7	310·8	60·8	88·2	54·1	27·7	10·2	8·7	53·2	7·9
1967	319·4	12·1	307·3	56·8	92·3	52·3	27·4	10·0	7·6	53·0	7·9
1968	327·4	11·9	315·5	60·4	93·9	53·4	27·1	10·9	7·2	55·0	7·6
1969	336·6	13·1	323·5	63·7	96·6	54·5	25·5	10·5	7·4	57·1	8·2
1967 July	290·6	11·7	278·9	50·0	86·0	47·5	26·2	9·8	4·1	49·0	6·3
August ...	276·4	10·6	265·8	56·3	87·1	44·7	20·9	8·7	3·7	39·0	5·4
*September ...	296·8	10·5	286·3	57·1	86·2	44·5	25·1	9·9	3·9	53·0	6·6
October ...	313·8	10·8	303·0	52·8	91·0	51·4	25·5	10·3	10·7	54·3	7·0
November ...	335·9	11·6	324·3	56·5	93·5	54·7	27·9	10·9	14·9	57·9	8·0
*December ...	353·9	12·0	341·9	61·4	100·8	59·4	26·3	10·6	15·4	59·0	9·0
1968 January ...	363·4	12·0	351·4	62·4	104·4	62·7	30·1	11·8	12·9	57·5	9·6
February ...	359·7	12·1	347·6	66·0	100·6	63·6	26·5	11·6	8·4	61·7	9·2
*March ...	340·4	11·9	328·5	60·0	97·6	59·1	25·9	11·5	5·0	60·9	8·5
April ...	308·8	11·0	297·8	53·1	91·2	47·7	26·9	10·9	3·5	57·5	7·0
May	316·3	12·3	304·0	54·5	89·8	48·5	29·6	11·3	4·1	59·6	6·6
*June... ...	311·2	11·5	299·7	59·5	86·2	49·7	27·3	10·6	3·4	56·4	6·6
July	294·0	10·9	283·1	50·4	88·1	46·6	26·7	10·4	3·3	51·6	6·0
August ...	301·5	11·3	290·2	68·4	91·1	47·2	21·3	9·7	3·6	43·5	5·4
*September ...	303·6	11·5	292·1	61·1	88·8	46·8	24·3	10·7	4·0	49·6	6·8
October ...	317·6	12·0	305·6	57·6	89·4	49·1	26·6	10·5	11·5	53·6	7·3
November ...	346·1	13·2	332·9	60·1	98·2	53·7	31·2	11·3	13·7	55·9	8·8
*December ...	364·6	13·3	351·3	69·4	101·3	64·9	29·7	10·9	14·1	52·0	9·0
1969 January ...	372·0	13·9	358·1	66·9	105·5	64·7	31·3	9·5	13·4	56·8	10·0
February ...	367·9	14·2	353·7	67·5	106·2	65·1	31·9	9·7	6·6	56·3	10·4
*March ...	348·1	14·3	333·8	62·0	100·3	58·7	23·8	11·7	4·2	63·5	9·6
April ...	333·2	13·4	319·8	70·1	96·8	48·8	25·4	10·8	3·5	56·9	7·5
May	339·8	13·1	326·7	70·9	96·8	51·2	26·2	11·2	4·1	59·0	7·3
*June... ...	314·2	12·6	301·6	62·9	89·0	50·5	22·7	10·7	3·8	55·5	6·5
July	294·4	12·4	282·0	53·4	87·7	47·8	22·8	8·7	3·8	51·4	6·4
August ...	291·8	12·5	279·3	57·1	87·1	50·5	19·1	9·7	3·5	47·0	5·3
*September ...	312·9	12·5	300·4	61·1	91·0	52·0	21·5	10·2	3·9	53·8	6·9
October ...	326·9	12·4	314·5	55·5	95·4	49·2	24·2	11·0	11·9	59·5	7·8
November ...	360·9	13·0	347·9	65·1	99·9	53·0	29·8	11·1	15·0	64·2	9·8
*December ...	375·8	13·2	362·6	71·0	104·1	61·6	29·0	10·8	15·2	60·2	10·7
1970 January ...	391·3	13·8	377·5	78·2	107·6	62·0	31·2	11·2	11·5	64·9	10·9
February ...											
March ...											

Source: Ministry of Technology

(1) Excluding the fuel industries which produced:

	Million kilowatt hours
Coal mines (1968/69)	613
Gas works (1968/69)	213
Mineral oil refining (1968)	871

These industries accounted for an average weekly production of about 33 million kilowatt hours in 1968 as compared with 327 million kilowatt hours produced weekly in 1968 by the industries included in the table.

(2) Electricity supplied by United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority prototype reactors to the public electricity supply system.

* Average of five weeks.

Arrivals of tanker-borne crude petroleum and petroleum products(1)

TABLE 60 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Total crude petroleum and petroleum products	Crude and process oils	Total petroleum products (2)	Naphtha (L.D.F.) and other feedstock	Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor, industrial and white spirits	Kerosine			Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil	Lubricating oils
							Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil	Vaporising oil			
1966...	7,646·9	5,867·8	1,779·1	248·0	23·1	295·8	17·1	60·1	4·5	253·4	802·0	47·0
1967...	8,007·2	6,045·0	1.962·2	340·1	29·8	364·5	46·5	41·6	3·4	285·0	769·9	50·8
1968...	8,679·2	6,823·4	1,855·8	396·9	26·1	366·9	47·1	46·8	3·3	284·3	610·3	50·5
1969...	9,327·2	7,640·1	1,687·1	448·2	15·1	328·0	42·6	44·8	2·9	227·7	504·8	42·8
1968 October ...	8,218·8	6,721·6	1,497·2	405·3	47·1	366·0	16·5	50·0	3·7	244·9	311·6	30·9
November ...	9,056·1	7,435·3	1,620·8	392·7	48·1	375·2	39·7	25·0	—	269·9	398·4	52·1
December ...	9,123·6	7,035·5	2,088·1	558·4	25·7	386·4	85·7	96·9	6·0	270·5	565·4	72·0
1969 January ...	9,614·5	7,543·1	2,071·4	558·0	17·7	361·7	54·3	68·2	4·0	202·0	724·0	33·4
February ...	8,595·3	6,716·0	1,879·3	664·3	11·2	296·1	54·2	75·6	—	202·1	495·8	48·7
March ...	9,846·9	8,128·7	1,718·2	676·0	32·9	365·0	25·1	47·0	1·2	225·6	279·1	32·8
April	9,003·8	7,371·8	1,632·0	488·4	16·4	317·2	64·7	38·1	4·6	202·4	427·9	49·9
May	9,854·9	8,133·6	1,721·3	507·5	22·0	348·4	44·7	31·3	—	203·0	489·7	46·3
June	8,914·5	7,125·3	1,789·2	467·2	17·4	280·8	46·0	20·3	6·4	268·2	607·3	35·6
July	8,770·6	7,317·0	1,453·6	283·5	8·6	389·6	35·6	6·2	3·2	203·4	437·1	66·6
August ...	9,007·8	7,625·3	1,382·5	291·7	5·3	305·6	67·0	38·0	3·0	273·7	340·0	45·4
September ...	8,015·7	6,607·6	1,408·1	226·4	4·8	300·2	4·7	55·1	—	212·8	540·0	30·0
October ...	10,156·4	8,716·5	1,439·9	344·4	18·4	339·4	58·9	39·9	8·2	227·3	322·4	51·5
November ...	9,527·8	7,897·9	1,629·9	312·7	6·7	300·5	14·0	41·8	1·2	293·4	604·0	34·4
December ...	10,619·2	8,498·7	2,120·5	558·1	19·6	331·2	41·6	76·3	2·7	218·5	789·9	39·4

(1) The term 'arrivals' is used to distinguish the figures as recorded by importers of oil from those published in the *Trade Accounts*.
(2) Including products not shown separately, namely gases other than natural gas, bitumen and waxes.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Refinery throughput, and output of finished petroleum products

TABLE 61 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Throughput of crude, process and shale oils	Refinery fuel	Total output of finished products (1)	Gases		Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor spirit	Industrial and white spirits	Kerosine		Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil	Lubricating oils	Bitumen
				Butane and propane	Other petroleum				Burning oil	Vaporising oil				
1966	5,882·4	380·7	5,438·6	86·8	46·9	51·7	723·1	14·3	308·8	7·1	1,221·9	2,389·0	89·4	131·4
1967	6,030·8	389·4	5,574·4	84·2	51·2	37·4	735·3	12·8	326·3	5·3	1,167·1	2,523·5	82·9	143·5
1968	6,815·6	422·8	6,319·3	85·2	48·8	35·8	781·6	20·6	381·9	5·7	1,406·2	2,809·9	84·9	143·8
1969	7,520·9	462·2	6,978·6	94·1	42·3	26·0	838·8	16·2	442·5	4·7	1,597·5	3,138·4	98·6	141·3
1969 Jan. ...	7,857·0	470·1	7,308·4	100·0	53·7	24·0	815·8	10·7	442·3	1·8	1,648·8	3,476·4	82·5	121·0
Feb. ...	7,023·5	418·2	6,533·9	110·6	59·1	28·1	682·4	15·5	419·3	2·0	1,472·4	3,060·5	96·2	102·4
March ...	7,826·4	469·7	7,299·1	118·9	57·9	15·8	790·4	16·4	480·3	2·5	1,652·2	3,358·6	96·8	144·3
April ...	7,673·5	453·7	7,120·2	96·3	45·9	28·7	806·5	21·1	431·9	—	1,635·6	3,197·2	102·8	138·7
May ...	7,423·5	450·0	6,901·5	90·4	38·4	18·4	813·0	18·9	384·5	11·5	1,576·2	3,150·4	103·6	153·1
June ...	6,794·3	431·0	6,272·2	83·8	31·4	51·9	835·7	15·3	417·4	6·1	1,434·4	2,691·2	108·7	170·7
July ...	6,963·1	449·2	6,445·6	76·0	30·3	40·8	867·1	17·0	437·9	2·8	1,496·6	2,758·0	105·3	159·9
August...	7,585·5	476·5	7,000·4	76·0	27·6	35·2	933·9	14·1	440·1	5·8	1,627·8	3,046·6	87·2	144·5
Sept. ...	6,856·4	445·7	6,346·7	73·1	27·0	27·6	880·5	13·7	450·4	8·1	1,484·5	2,662·4	95·0	149·0
Oct. ...	7,931·1	471·6	7,418·8	91·1	33·8	17·0	883·8	16·6	505·1	9·9	1,710·6	3,307·0	100·0	168·3
Nov. ...	7,941·7	487·8	7,349·5	103·5	48·9	8·4	833·6	16·2	442·9	6·0	1,720·6	3,301·3	96·0	135·7
Dec. ...	8,374·7	523·2	7,746·9	109·0	53·4	15·5	922·7	19·2	457·7	0·2	1,710·5	3,651·3	108·7	107·7
1970 Jan. ...	8,773·4	533·0	8,150·5	110·6	48·0	21·4	927·5	15·2	283·0	—	1,897·2	3,767·0	88·1	114·0
Feb. ...														
March ...														

(1) Including output of products not shown separately, namely naphtha (light distillate feedstock) and other feedstock, waxes and miscellaneous production; refinery losses have been excluded.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Shipments of petroleum and oil for bunkers(1)

TABLE 62 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Shipments										Bunkers	
	Total (2)	Feed-stock	Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor, industrial and white spirits	Kerosine			Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil	Lubri-cating oils	Gas/ diesel oil	Fuel oil
					Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil	Vaporising oil					
1966	1,037·1	2·2	39·5	94·4	17·7	42·0	3·4	368·6	410·7	48·3	61·4	350·4
1967	973·1	—	31·3	81·4	33·0	29·3	2·2	342·7	383·0	46·2	60·8	353·9
1968	1,187·1	—	22·0	71·8	43·9	32·7	2·5	421·3	520·6	51·1	59·9	378·3
1969	1,176·5	—	11·0	69·0	52·2	34·2	2·2	448·0	480·6	55·5	64·0	394·1
1968 October ...	1,401·5	—	49·2	68·5	22·0	42·6	2·2	513·8	628·2	41·6	60·3	499·8
November ...	1,389·7	—	16·8	68·7	47·6	49·9	0·1	475·8	645·1	55·4	55·9	399·3
December ...	1,565·8	—	3·1	71·8	52·6	53·6	2·2	590·3	723·1	39·7	57·1	343·9
1969 January ...	1,472·0	—	10·1	51·9	24·2	25·3	0·6	626·5	663·5	46·0	60·3	409·6
February ...	1,181·7	—	15·6	25·5	47·2	36·1	1·3	385·3	618·6	42·0	58·5	342·3
March ...	1,197·5	—	6·4	47·7	58·9	56·8	2·8	527·6	438·7	47·9	67·2	413·0
April	1,153·3	—	13·7	71·6	29·0	10·8	0·9	484·9	473·6	53·6	59·1	392·9
May	990·4	—	11·9	91·6	46·6	18·5	3·2	305·0	405·1	60·2	75·0	398·3
June	977·5	—	6·1	50·5	52·3	26·5	3·6	349·7	395·3	66·8	59·9	441·2
July	1,062·6	—	28·3	80·4	96·1	33·0	3·5	499·8	247·3	44·0	71·4	367·7
August ...	1,076·8	—	8·0	95·3	62·9	6·2	2·9	359·6	438·7	60·5	59·3	404·9
September ...	897·7	—	8·6	63·4	76·7	24·0	1·3	271·8	381·4	52·7	54·1	334·1
October ...	1,361·8	—	13·1	109·9	54·6	74·7	5·2	498·5	518·6	65·4	65·8	440·8
November ...	1,258·3	—	4·6	87·2	34·0	41·0	1·1	518·2	497·8	57·9	58·8	366·6
December ...	1,488·1	—	5·8	52·4	44·5	57·3	0·6	549·9	688·9	68·6	78·7	417·9

(1) The term 'shipments' is used to distinguish the figures as recorded by exporters of oil from those published in the *Trade Accounts*.
(2) Including products not shown separately, namely gases, naphtha (light distillate feed-stock), bitumen and waxes.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of petroleum products for inland consumption

TABLE 63 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Total (1)	Aviation spirit and aviation wide-cut gasoline	Motor spirit	Indus-trial and white spirits	Kerosine			Gas/diesel oil		Fuel oil (2)	Lubri-cating oils	Bitu-men	Paraffin wax
					Aviation turbine fuel	Burning oil	Vapor-ising oil	Derv fuel	Other				
1966	5,662·5	35·5	943·5	29·3	179·7	137·5	8·2	336·7	632·2	2,424·6	94·8	128·3	4·6
1967	6,121·1	36·2	1,007·0	26·7	206·4	145·7	7·3	357·2	672·7	2,550·7	91·6	146·8	4·4
1968	6,478·8	37·1	1,067·3	30·1	226·7	163·9	6·2	381·4	752·1	2,551·0	94·3	152·4	4·6
1969	6,981·1	31·4	1,102·5	20·0	243·3	183·5	5·3	399·3	862·4	2,782·9	100·7	151·0	4·9
1969 January	7,867·3	30·1	1,003·8	26·9	197·6	310·5	3·7	400·6	1,052·5	3,318·8	102·2	117·8	5·4
February	7,592·4	33·7	892·1	24·9	175·3	327·9	2·8	361·4	1,048·6	3,166·4	89·8	89·1	4·4
March	8,381·9	40·1	1,050·3	26·6	214·4	288·4	4·9	407·1	1,146·2	3,433·9	99·0	152·2	4·9
April	7,361·3	40·5	1,152·4	26·9	208·2	181·1	7·1	401·5	953·8	2,883·9	106·8	153·1	4·7
May	6,410·1	48·9	1,164·8	17·7	248·5	104·3	5·7	411·3	678·5	2,489·2	104·9	177·6	4·9
June	5,838·3	32·8	1,115·8	17·9	300·4	66·0	8·0	393·4	565·5	2,148·4	104·0	186·8	5·0
July	5,779·7	47·5	1,243·1	18·0	301·8	57·4	8·5	413·5	533·3	2,036·6	110·2	176·1	4·1
August	5,507·4	23·4	1,228·1	14·8	302·2	55·7	7·9	373·9	517·4	1,980·0	95·3	154·3	5·2
September ...	6,011·5	23·5	1,115·6	17·8	298·9	105·9	5·9	397·1	678·9	2,279·5	97·2	177·2	4·4
October ...	6,911·0	20·2	1,157·0	19·2	268·8	141·3	4·1	435·5	820·3	2,789·6	112·2	182·5	5·6
November ...	7,474·4	18·8	1,035·2	16·6	211·4	230·0	2·7	399·5	1,024·0	3,150·8	94·0	134·2	4·4
December ...	8,636·3	17·3	1,073·2	14·0	193·7	332·7	2·3	396·3	1,329·4	3,715·7	92·6	110·8	5·1
1970 January(3) ...	8,641·9	12·8	1,016·5	13·4	211·9	358·0	2·7	399·7	1,358·4	3,850·0	87·6	95·5	4·9
February ...													
March ...													

(1) Including products not shown separately. These are analysed in Table 64. Excluding fuel consumed by refineries.
(2) Excluding refinery consumption. (3) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Analysis of inland deliveries of gases, feedstock and motor spirit

TABLE 64 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Gases			Feedstock		Motor spirit			
	Butane and propane		Other gases for gas works(1)	For petroleum chemical plant	Naphtha (L.D.F.) for gas works	Dealers(2)		Commercial consumers(2)	
	For gas works	Other uses				5, 4 and 3 Star (3)	Other (2 Star) (4)	5, 4 and 3 Star (3)	Other (2 Star) (4)
1966	76·0	33·0	47·0	302·2	249·4	634·5	200·9	57·0	51·1
1967	74·0	30·7	48·4	384·3	331·0	682·7	221·2	57·9	45·2
1968	65·9	31·4	44·7	445·2	424·5	720·6	253·7	54·9	38·1
1969	59·4	39·8	38·2	513·6	442·9	765·8	243·5	56·5	36·8
1969 January	75·4	41·8	49·5	480·9	649·7	668·7	237·4	58·8	38·9
February	85·9	41·8	55·5	443·1	749·8	598·6	208·5	49·9	35·1
March	94·4	50·4	54·1	561·8	753·3	716·5	237·1	58·3	38·4
April	58·8	47·4	41·3	483·6	610·1	792·3	258·0	62·8	39·4
May	59·3	36·0	33·4	434·3	391·0	801·2	269·2	55·9	38·5
June	40·4	32·8	27·5	578·0	215·8	771·8	250·5	56·5	37·0
July	36·0	31·5	26·5	531·8	203·6	864·2	275·3	63·3	40·3
August	35·9	29·8	23·7	500·2	159·6	870·8	268·3	54·2	34·8
September	38·5	35·5	23·0	498·7	213·9	794·4	237·0	50·7	33·5
October	45·5	39·5	29·5	530·7	309·5	818·8	243·8	57·7	36·7
November	66·8	43·2	44·7	569·7	428·2	732·1	216·4	53·5	33·2
December	75·2	47·7	49·5	550·8	630·0	760·8	220·8	55·9	35·7
1970 January(5)	72·7	34·1	43·7	536·6	543·4	726·2	203·1	54·9	32·3
February									
March									

(1) Excluding natural gas.
(2) From January 1968 agency pick-up sales are included under dealers, and not as previously under commercial consumers. These sales amounted to 5·4 thousand tons (5, 4 and 3 star) and 5·6 thousand tons (other) in January 1968.
(3) From January 1967, all finished motor spirit with an octane number (research method) not less than 94. The figures relate to Premier grades prior to January 1967.
(4) The figures relate to Standard grades prior to January 1967. (5) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Analysis of inland deliveries of gas/diesel and fuel oils(1)

TABLE 65 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Total	Electricity generation	Gas making	Railways	Steel manufacture	Other industrial uses	Agriculture and forestry	Marine	Non-industrial central heating				
									Private houses	Other dwellings	Shops, offices and catering establishments	Schools and hospitals	Other
1966	3,056·8	636·3	37·7	77·8	373·7	1,339·9	79·2	93·4	41·7	14·9	99·6	112·8	149·8
1967	3,223·4	649·0	43·8	79·3	377·4	1,432·4	84·5	91·3	40·7	17·7	112·0	128·3	167·0
1968	3,303·0	566·8	34·2	85·2	390·4	1,526·4	95·9	83·6	43·5	21·8	131·0	147·6	176·6
1969	3,645·1	715·8	29·0	88·5	424·5	1,634·1	100·3	86·6	42·7	29·5	142·7	155·3	196·1
1968 October	3,260·9	556·8	20·8	85·5	415·3	1,537·9	99·8	88·1	32·4	19·3	118·5	135·2	151·3
November	4,024·3	713·8	32·0	92·9	430·7	1,913·0	98·8	92·5	46·1	31·4	156·2	191·4	225·5
December	4,125·6	801·8	37·2	94·6	423·2	1,833·4	98·9	82·8	60·1	34·2	189·7	219·1	250·6
1969 January	4,371·3	664·3	38·9	103·0	450·9	2,072·6	102·0	87·2	65·5	44·7	210·3	238·5	293·4
February	4,215·0	677·3	46·4	93·1	431·7	1,943·8	111·1	83·1	66·3	40·6	212·0	236·1	273·5
March	4,580·1	804·5	55·9	102·6	465·8	2,070·7	125·1	87·2	67·6	43·5	219·9	248·0	289·3
April	3,837·7	658·9	32·3	91·3	445·7	1,693·9	125·0	94·3	62·0	36·9	185·4	186·6	225·4
May	3,167·7	557·3	23·2	83·9	437·0	1,429·3	106·6	78·7	39·7	23·7	112·2	132·0	144·2
June	2,713·9	577·6	17·3	78·0	396·7	1,199·4	78·0	75·1	24·3	15·2	78·4	88·3	85·6
July	2,569·9	587·7	14·3	77·9	366·3	1,143·7	69·9	86·0	17·4	10·3	59·4	71·4	65·6
August	2,497·4	623·5	13·5	71·5	337·3	1,084·1	75·1	82·1	17·3	10·6	59·5	61·0	61·9
September	2,958·4	655·8	17·6	78·7	398·6	1,332·8	99·4	86·9	21·5	13·6	71·0	80·4	102·1
October	3,609·9	825·4	19·9	87·6	440·2	1,570·4	101·6	90·5	31·0	20·0	114·0	123·8	185·5
November	4,174·8	875·4	27·8	87·4	437·9	1,885·4	101·0	87·6	39·6	30·9	162·3	178·6	260·9
December	5,045·0	1,082·0	41·3	107·0	485·6	2,182·7	108·9	100·2	60·7	64·5	227·5	219·0	365·5

(1) Excluding derv fuel.

Source: Ministry of Technology

VIII. CHEMICALS

Fertilizers

TABLE 66 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Production(1)				Home deliveries(1)			Deliveries of nitrogen for export (1)	Compounds(2)		Home deliveries of liming materials (3)
	P_2O_5 (phosphate)			N (nitrogen)	P_2O_5 (phosphate)	N (nitrogen)	K_2O (potash)		Production	Home deliveries	
	Total	Single superphosphate	Basic slag								
1963 Years ended 30 June	34·0	9·7	8·8	42·1	36·7	44·4	34·1	5·8	231·7	227·6	501·9
1964 Years ended 30 June	35·1	8·3	9·2	46·1	39·0	48·0	35·0	6·5	238·6	239·3	505·2
1965 Years ended 30 June	37·0	7·9	9·9	49·9	39·3	49·4	34·2	8·3	229·9	234·5	490·9
1966 Years ended 31 May	35·0	6·8	6·8	54·6	35·7	56·6	34·2	6·2	225·9	227·1	425·7
1967 Years ended 31 May	34·1	6·0	7·0	60·0	37·1	62·4	35·3	7·8	233·4	237·0	441·5
1968 Years ended 31 May	36·2	5·7	7·2	70·1	36·9	74·5	37·7	10·0	241·2	234·7	377·3
1969 Years ended 31 May	36·4	5·1	6·6	74·7	37·0	78·0	36·4	9·5	232·5	237·0	323·9
1967 January	36·9	5·8	8·6	60·8	39·5	71·8	42·5	12·5	238·8	238·2	217·9
February	36·6	6·4	8·6	54·8	43·3	70·6	36·1	7·1	219·0	270·5	229·9
March	37·1	6·2	8·0	67·9	68·0	88·6	46·8	10·7	304·5	490·3	224·5
April	39·4	6·3	9·4	60·4	46·5	75·0	40·2	9·1	285·2	285·9	369·0
May	37·5	6·2	9·0	72·7	23·3	71·2	35·8	3·5	247·5	110·8	590·2
June	34·7	6·0	7·2	68·2	46·9	67·5	33·8	10·7	244·2	325·3	525·3
July	36·4	4·2	6·0	71·4	44·6	75·2	35·1	12·9	241·7	311·7	339·4
August	31·0	4·4	4·2	66·8	29·3	67·5	30·8	7·1	197·4	194·6	320·5
September	37·0	6·5	6·8	68·0	34·0	72·7	32·5	10·4	222·2	208·8	337·7
October	32·8	7·9	6·9	68·2	33·2	70·9	40·8	3·1	232·5	206·9	478·3
November	32·1	4·7	5·0	63·5	26·8	70·3	39·2	4·3	213·8	178·0	555·7
December	30·1	4·2	5·6	69·9	31·7	74·1	33·8	15·6	216·8	211·2	375·0
1968 January	35·7	4·5	7·0	67·3	33·7	80·0	42·9	14·4	240·8	201·2	294·8
February	38·6	6·4	8·9	63·8	38·9	75·5	38·2	12·5	263·4	233·2	163·6
March	44·6	7·2	11·6	73·3	58·5	91·5	44·4	11·8	312·3	390·2	186·5
April	37·9	6·8	8·0	83·7	42·5	85·1	40·9	7·9	254·8	250·2	415·2
May	43·6	6·2	9·5	77·4	22·7	64·2	40·1	9·2	255·0	104·9	535·4
June	34·7	4·3	7·0	79·0	50·5	83·1	32·4	5·0	239·1	346·5	400·2
July	38·0	3·8	6·9	67·2	50·5	79·5	40·8	12·3	247·9	331·7	425·4
August	38·7	4·5	5·8	77·7	29·6	68·7	33·4	10·9	212·9	184·8	256·4
September	36·1	6·1	6·0	64·8	28·3	65·4	37·6	12·3	235·6	169·1	306·6
October	36·8	7·1	5·4	74·3	30·0	71·6	43·6	16·2	237·8	168·0	541·8
November	35·1	5·3	5·9	74·6	29·7	67·6	39·0	7·9	229·1	177·4	373·4
December	36·3	4·8	4·9	71·6	31·0	74·4	32·3	13·2	206·3	194·7	179·2
1969 January	31·8	4·7	6·6	77·2	30·0	78·7	41·5	10·0	250·0	188·8	358·8
February	33·0	4·6	5·2	71·7	28·5	81·3	35·1	9·3	216·1	176·9	135·0
March	41·5	5·0	8·2	86·2	47·0	86·3	35·6	11·6	250·8	318·1	146·0
April	37·2	6·0	8·6	76·2	49·5	93·0	35·1	3·4	235·5	335·1	219·5
May	38·0	5·1	9·1	76·2	38·9	86·3	30·6	11·5	228·8	252·7	544·3
June	36·3	4·6	7·6	75·4	48·4	83·3	37·3	6·4	243·7	335·7	468·7
July	40·4	3·9	7·4	75·5	47·1	78·1	39·3	7·8	257·3	298·7	381·9
August	39·8	4·0	7·2	73·9	26·2	62·8	37·0	13·3	229·6	163·3	338·2
September	39·3	6·1	7·1	60·9	34·8	57·8	38·5	11·2	242·1	194·8	281·9
October	37·5	5·3	8·7		33·1		46·4		214·9	154·9	523·2
November	36·1	5·4	7·9		20.7		25·9		176·2	101·5	583·5
December	34·7	3·8	7·1		20·9		33·8		202·7	113·3	443·4
1970 January											275·0
February											141·6
March											

(1) Nutrient content.
(2) Total weight of compound fertilizers.
(3) Total weight of materials specified in applications paid during the month by the Crop Improvement Division, Branch B, for subsidy for lime deliveries to farms.

Sources: Ministry of Technology
Agricultural Departments

Sulphur and sulphuric acid

TABLE 67 — Production and consumption: monthly averages or calendar months — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Sulphur and other materials used for sulphuric acid manufacture								Sulphuric acid (as 100 per cent acid)	
	Consumption					Stocks				
	Sulphur	Pyrites	Spent oxide	Anhydrite	Zinc concentrates	Sulphur	Pyrites	Spent oxide	Production	Consumption
1964	49·9	24·0	17·0	78·6	21·4	85·4	60·7	83·5	261·3	264·2
1965	57·4	20·0	14·6	81·3	20·9	64·6	78·1	91·8	275·4	277·3
1966	53·0	19·9	14·3	81·6	21·2	80·0	92·1	101·2	259·8	273·9
1967	53·1	19·8	12·7	94·6	20·9	75·9	100·4	111·6	265·2	280·0
1968	55·0	18·1	9·5	104·8	26·7	77·3	108·8	125·9	273·5	300·2
1969	54·7	18·4	7·4	100·8	29·4	66·2	84·5	148·6	269·6	305·8
1967 April	51·0	18·6	12·5	83·8	19·8	79·7	75·9	111·5	252·1	276·0
May	51·4	19·2	13·5	96·1	20·3	72·1	84·2	110·4	261·5	279·0
June	55·7	20·0	13·1	106·8	21·7	84·6	86·9	112·1	280·8	287·3
July	54·1	22·0	10·9	80·2	18·8	80·1	78·2	112·6	260·0	269·5
August	48·8	16·4	11·1	95·7	18·5	92·0	91·2	114·8	244·3	252·4
September	53·8	19·6	11·5	94·8	24·8	87·1	76·6	114·6	270·1	294·6
October	52·6	18·8	12·5	97·5	18·3	86·3	83·7	117·0	260·9	284·7
November	52·3	19·3	12·7	99·6	20·2	74·9	90·0	112·0	262·0	286·7
December	59·1	20·6	14·0	108·1	25·0	75·9	100·4	111·6	292·5	292·9
1968 January	52·8	19·9	9·9	95·4	20·0	69·0	107·9	115·2	258·1	278·0
February	53·2	16·9	10·0	112·3	22·4	67·0	107·1	115·9	267·2	290·2
March	60·0	20·9	11·2	113·1	26·7	65·9	102·2	119·7	299·7	327·2
April	53·0	17·4	9·5	113·9	24·0	64·7	113·5	111·3	270·7	290·0
May	55·2	17·7	8·9	114·3	26·9	83·1	118·4	112·2	277·5	298·4
June	52·6	20·1	9·4	110·1	30·6	82·0	104·3	114·1	275·3	307·9
July	53·6	19·8	8·7	100·5	22·5	82·8	106·1	116·1	265·2	291·0
August	50·5	16·9	9·4	95·8	25·5	90·5	114·9	116·9	253·4	282·6
September	56·6	17·9	9·7	103·0	30·4	88·3	106·7	119·5	282·6	319·0
October	56·4	16·9	8·9	82·2	27·9	71·8	101·3	122·0	260·5	300·5
November	55·7	12·8	8·3	101·6	27·5	76·0	108·6	123·0	267·3	297·7
December	60·0	20·0	9·9	115·2	36·1	77·3	108·8	125·9	304·9	320·2
1969 January	55·1	21·3	8·4	108·4	29·9	65·7	92·6	128·2	280·1	312·3
February	48·3	18·6	8·6	101·8	35·7	73·3	96·7	129·8	256·9	286·1
March	58·5	17·8	9·0	108·7	27·6	74·0	99·2	129·9	284·4	318·6
April	53·2	20·1	7·1	95·2	24·6	78·2	99·1	131·5	259·4	295·4
May	54·9	19·7	6·9	98·6	32·3	86·6	86·9	133·8	273·6	303·3
June	60·9	17·0	7·4	94·9	30·4	73·0	101·3	133·3	285·5	309·2
July	56·8	17·0	5·8	102·3	28·6	67·2	85·7	141·8	273·6	310·4
August	51·6	15·0	7·0	99·6	36·0	71·6	80·2	141·2	261·5	310·4
September	51·8	18·9	6·9	106·7	19·1	68·6	82·5	143·0	254·4	310·4
October	53·0	17·7	7·0	95·4	27·8	68·6	81·0	146·0	259·5	300·3
November	52·2	18·5	6·9	82·9	33·7	66·6	77·8	148·1	257·6	300·3
December	59·5	18·9	7·9	114·7	26·9	62·2	84·5	148·6	288·2	300·3
1970 January	58·6	17·6	7·3	105·1	35·5	58·4	90·9	146·6	286·0	
February										
March										

Source: Ministry of Technology

Synthetic dyestuffs, colours, paint and varnish

TABLE 68

Quarterly averages or totals for quarters

	Synthetic dyestuffs	Colours				Paint and varnish				
		Sales by manufacturers								
	Production	Total	Pigment dyestuffs (including toners)	Inorganic pigments	Other	Total	Emulsion paints and other water paints	Cellulose based paints, varnishes and lacquers[1]	Varnishes, lacquers and stains (other than cellulose) [2]	Other
	Thousand tons					Million gallons				
1964	9·67	18·1	1·6	5·3	11·2	20·4	3·9	2·1	0·3	14·1
1965	8·89	17·8	1·9	5·0	11·0	20·4	4·0	2·0	0·3	14·0
1966	8·04	16·8	2·1	4·9	9·8	20·5	4·2	1·9	0·3	14·1
1967	7·52	17·0	2·2	4·8	10·0	20·9	4·6	1·8	0·3	14·3
1968	7·97	18·1	2·5	5·1	10·6	22·1	5·0	1·9	0·3	14·9
1969		19·1	2·7	5·5	10·9					
1962 1st quarter	7·57	16·69	1·23	4·81	10·65	21·2	3·6	2·0	1·7	13·9
2nd quarter	7·15	17·56	1·43	4·95	11·19	23·9	4·2	2·0	1·8	15·8
3rd quarter	7·00	15·94	1·39	4·61	9·96	22·6	3·7	2·0	1·7	15·1
4th quarter	7·55	15·85	1·44	4·71	9·69	19·9	3·1	2·0	1·7	13·0
1963 1st quarter	7·74	15·25	1·49	4·53	9·24	16·6	3·2	1·8	0·3	11·4
2nd quarter	7·84	16·52	1·54	5·00	9·99	21·5	4·3	1·9	0·3	14·9
3rd quarter	8·29	17·00	1·58	5·02	10·41	20·2	3·8	1·9	0·3	14·2
4th quarter	9·40	18·14	1·69	5·18	11·28	18·6	3·3	2·1	0·3	12·9
1964 1st quarter	10·05	17·57	1·62	5·15	10·80	19·2	3·8	2·0	0·3	13·2
2nd quarter	10·08	18·64	1·61	5·50	11·54	22·4	4·5	2·1	0·3	15·5
3rd quarter	8·92	17·81	1·55	5·13	11·13	21·1	4·0	2·0	0·3	14·8
4th quarter	9·62	18·32	1·70	5·27	11·36	18·9	3·4	2·1	0·4	13·0
1965 1st quarter	9·89	18·45	1·84	5·28	11·33	19·4	3·9	2·0	0·3	13·2
2nd quarter	9·12	18·44	1·90	5·00	11·55	22·4	4·7	2·1	0·4	15·2
3rd quarter	8·30	17·01	1·87	4·80	10·34	20·8	4·2	1·9	0·3	14·4
4th quarter	8·26	17·47	2·04	4·83	10·60	18·9	3·6	2·0	0·3	13·0
1966 1st quarter	7·98	17·55	2·13	4·91	10·51	20·3	4·3	2·0	0·3	13·7
2nd quarter	8·20	16·98	2·12	5·16	9·70	22·4	4·8	2·0	0·3	15·3
3rd quarter	7·70	16·18	2·05	4·53	9·60	21·2	4·2	1·8	0·3	14·9
4th quarter	8·29	16·58	2·09	4·91	9·58	18·1	3·6	1·8	0·3	12·4
1967 1st quarter	8·12	15·75	2·12	4·61	9·02	19·9	4·5	1·7	0·3	13·4
2nd quarter	7·49	18·02	2·26	5·19	10·58	22·9	5·0	1·9	0·3	15·7
3rd quarter	6·91	16·42	2·03	4·45	9·95	21·5	4·8	1·7	0·3	14·7
4th quarter	7·58	17·85	2·43	4·76	10·66	19·2	3·9	1·8	0·3	13·3
1968 1st quarter	7·93	18·43	2·60	5·22	10·62	21·2	4·7	1·9	0·3	14·3
2nd quarter	8·17	18·43	2·45	5·27	10·72	23·9	5·7	1·9	0·3	16·0
3rd quarter	7·37	17·94	2·34	5·15	10·46	22·6	5·2	1·8	0·3	15·3
4th quarter	8·40	17·77	2·60	4·69	10·47	20·6	4·6	1·8	0·2	13·9
1969 1st quarter	9·33	18·56	2·70	5·33	10·53	21·2	5·0	1·8	0·2	14·2
2nd quarter	9·50	18·91	2·54	5·40	10·96	25·1	6·5	1·9	0·3	16·4
3rd quarter		20·00	2·57	5·92	11·51	23·7	5·8	1·9	0·3	15·7
4th quarter		18·85	2·83	5·38	10·65					

(1) From January 1963 including clear solutions and pigmented cellulose paints.
(2) From January 1963 the figures relate to spirit-based varnishes, lacquers and stains only.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Synthetic resins and plastics materials

TABLE 69 — Production: quarterly averages or totals for quarters — Stocks: end of period — Thousand ton

	Synthetic resins					Plastics materials			
	Production			Stocks		Production		Stocks	
	Total	Thermo-setting	Thermo-plastic	Thermo-setting	Thermo-plastic	Thermo-setting	Thermo-plastic	Thermo-setting	Thermo plastic
1964	217·4	72·2	145·2	14·7	84·3	25·0	52·3	11·3	23·8
1965	235·6	78·0	157·6	16·9	98·5	24·1	53·3	12·2	24·2
1966	250·2	79·0	171·2	18·3	102·6	23·5	56·5	13·0	22·8
1967	272·7	80·4	192·5	17·8	108·0	22·8	62·1	12·1	26·7
1968	309·0	88·1	220·9	18·5	98·4	25·3	69·1	12·1	29·0
1967 1st quarter ...	268·6	80·4	188·2	17·1	108·4	23·5	59·4	12·0	24·0
2nd quarter ...	276·1	84·1	192·0	18·4	107·1	23·9	64·0	12·8	26·8
3rd quarter ...	257·8	75·5	182·3	17·5	108·0	19·7	59·6	12·3	25·6
4th quarter ...	288·2	81·7	206·5	17·8	108·0	24·0	65·1	12·1	26·7
1968 1st quarter ...	296·2	90·0	206·1	19·1	96·9	26·0	69·7	11·5	28·0
2nd quarter ...	304·6	87·0	217·6	18·4	95·8	25·3	67·8	11·8	28·1
3rd quarter ...	309·9	83·0	226·9	18·0	108·3	23·0	64·5	11·4	27·4
4th quarter ...	325·4	92·6	232·8	18·5	98·4	26·9	74·3	12·1	29·0
1969 1st quarter ...	303·0	90·8	212·2	18·7	91·1	27·7	70·5	11·8	28·4
2nd quarter ...	332·1	92·3	239·9	20·8	94·3	26·5	71·7	12·0	32·4
3rd quarter ...	327·2	88·7	238·4	21·3	120·5	22·9	64·8	11·5	30·0

Source: Ministry of Technology

Other miscellaneous products

TABLE 70

	Matches			Industrial ethyl alcohol(1)	Penicillin(2)	Soap	Synthetic detergents
	Total	Home-produced	Imported				Net sales
	Quantities duty-paid			Production			Quarterly averages or totals for quarters
	Monthly averages or calendar months				Weekly averages		
	Million short standards(3)			Million proof gallons	Kilograms	Thousand tons	
1964...	1·27	0·79	0·48	5·56	4,867	7·72	84·3
1965...	1·24	0·77	0·47	5·68	5,146	6·79	87·5
1966...	1·19	0·75	0·44	4·98	7,014	6·68	91·3
1967...	1·15	0·72	0·43	4·59	9,148	6·24	96·8
1968...	1·11	0·70	0·41	4·67	7,786	6·05	103·5
1969...	1·07	0·67	0·40	5·29	10,965	5·33	121·0
1969 January	1·13	0·64	0·49	5·59	10,627	6·77	
February	1·08	0·74	0·34	4·32	11,924	5·60	113·3
March	0·97	0·61	0·36	4·98	9,263	4·65	
April	1·05	0·66	0·39	4·70	15,114	6·84	
May	1·06	0·67	0·39	3·92	10,789	4·92	129·4
June	0·99	0·64	0·35	5·22	9,696	4·89	
July	1·15	0·70	0·45	5·59	9,619	5·90	
August	1·06	0·71	0·35	5·79	7,361	3·85	120·8
September	1·06	0·64	0·42	4·98	11,807	4·36	
October	1·14	0·69	0·45	7·69	14,005	8·04	
November	1·13	0·72	0·41	4·91	10,513	5·18	120·3
December	1·03	0·64	0·39	5·77	10,866	3·86	
1970 January	1·13(4)	0·64(4)	0·49(4)	5·37(4)	13,328	5·60	
February					17,205		
March							

(1) Industrial ethyl alcohol made from molasses and derived from other processes.
(2) Figures include estimates computed from figures for calendar months.
(3) A 'short standard' is 7,200 matches. (4) Provisional.

Sources: H.M. Customs and Excis
Department of Health and Social Security
Ministry of Technology

IX. METALS, ENGINEERING AND VEHICLES

Iron and steel

TABLE 71 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Iron ore[1]		Pig iron				Scrap		Iron castings	Crude steel		Finished steel		
				Consumption									Stocks	
	Production	Consumption of imported iron ore	Production	Steelmaking	Iron works and iron foundries[2]	Stocks[3]	Consumption[4]	Stocks[4]	Production	Production[5]	Stocks[6]	Net deliveries[7]	Consumers'	Merchants
1964[8] ...	308	332	326	295	33	851	252	943	78·3	495	3,679	383·3	3,541	630
1965	296	345	336	309	33	698	268	917	78·5	519	3,602	388·3	3,759	641
1966	263	310	302	275	30	724	244	914	74·4	468	3,180	365·8	3,348	595
1967	245	292	291	268	26	649	243	757	68·2	460	3,303	364·9	3,097	591
1968	264	326	316	291	26	642	263	836	68·4	497	3,512	398·1	3,213	598
1969	233	344	315	290	27	504	277	1,070	72·2	508	3,383	415·4	3,701	631
1967 April ...	260	314	315	286	27	665	256	716	71·3	489	3,174	396·9	..	..
May ...	250*	321*	309*	277*		705	248*	733		472*	3,212	362·9*	..	..
June ...	236	300	296	276		671	246	774		470	3,175	392·0	3,137	581
July ...	206	273	260	226	22	731	191	810	60·3	375	3,111	332·3	..	..
August	204*	271*	263*	237*		729	213*	773		402*	3,250	286·5*	..	..
September	259	286	294	278		708	261	775		484	3,291	388·7	3,063	579
October	242	279	284	273	25	656	266	759	69·9	484	3,286	389·1	..	..
November	243*	298*	302*	288*		593	267*	750		499*	3,253	386·7*	..	..
December	259	278	281	244		649	218	757		416	3,303	349·4	3,097	591
1968 January	279*	293*	295*	275*	25	625	253*	740	70·6	475*	3,327	369·0*	..	..
February	276	275	287	272		564	258	749		477	3,271	407·4	..	..
March ...	284	287	295	275		526	267	757		488	3,234	407·7	3,082	596
April ...	274	318	318	300	25	499	272	713	68·6	515	3,370	405·2	..	..
May ...	293*	334*	330*	308*		491	278*	734		528*	3,409	412·5*	..	..
June ...	252	349	329	297		514	266	740		508	3,459	401·7	3,088	592
July ...	229*	313*	293*	2t6*	23	624	205*	837	62·2	412*	3,378	349·3*	..	..
August	259	334	320	281		685	243	844		469	3,415	376·3	..	..
September	255	345	331	307		670	282	839		529	3,502	407·7	3,076	581
October	267*	354*	336*	312*	28	658	285*	851	72·3	536*	3,446	424·0*	..	..
November	262	367	343	325		615	295	840		555	3,462	437·3	..	..
December	233	340	319	285		642	255	836		486	3,512	387·9	3,213	598
1969 January	254*	348*	318*	300*	27	539	283*	769	75·3	521*	3,470	419·8*	..	..
February	248	370	337	322		490	298	682		556	3,415	432·6	..	..
March ...	261	351	332	319		419	295	673		550	3,501	439·3	3,485	667
April ...	247*	345*	324*	311*	27	359	290*	650	73·1	539*	3.493	424·4*	..	..
May ...	236	366	343	321		344	290	622		547	3,577	433·9	..	..
June ...	245	354	336	308		353	294	672		538	3,573	445·7	3,666	694
July ...	207*	309*	275*	237*	24	432	223*	851	64·0	410*	3,498	358·5*	..	..
August	231	315	279	246		501	238	955		434	3,715	346·7	..	..
September	220	316	298	264		530	276	1,008		484	3,443	431·6	3,644	644
October	223*	339*	312*	284*	30	504	288*	1,078	76·5	515*	3,441	423·6*	..	..
November	213	356	321	296		468	295	1,103		529	3,313	436·1	..	..
December	208	362	317	281		504	261	1,070		486	3,383	402·5	3,701	631
1970 January	218*	349*	310*	292*		412	274*	987		507*	3,383	416·8*	..	..
February		385	342	315		396	308	915		558			..	..
March ...														

(1) The iron content of home produced iron ore is about 28 per cent and of imported iron ore about 60 per cent.
(2) Excluding consumption of refined and cylinder iron made otherwise than in blast furnaces.
(3) At steel works, steel foundries and blast furnaces.
(4) At steel works and steel foundries.
(5) Ingots, metal for continuously cast blooms, billets and slabs, and metal for castings.
(6) Stocks at producers' works of alloy and non-alloy ingots, semi-finished and finished steel in terms of ingot equivalent.
(7) Including imports (and material for manufacture of drop forgings) but excluding deliveries of all materials for intra-industry conversion.
(8) 53 week period. *Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Supplies and deliveries of steel

TABLE 72 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons (ingot equivalent)

	Crude steel production		Deliveries to (−) or from (+) producers' stocks	Re-usable material	Imports	Total supplies	Exports	Home deliveries
	Total	Alloy						
1966...	467·6	33·9	+ 8·1	4·9	22·1	502·7	86·1	416·6
1967...	459·5	30·3	− 3·0	4·5	36·7	497·7	95·1	402·6
1968...	497·4	36·0	− 4·4	3·8	48·1	544·9	104·2	440·7
1969...	508·1	40·1	+ 2·6	4·2	51·1	566·0	95·0	471·0
1968 *October	535·7	38·9	+11·2	4·2	53·3	604·4	101·4	503·0
November	555·2	42·0	− 4·1	4·0	39·3	594·4	132·5	461·9
December	485·8	35·6	−13·0	3·8	50·3	526·9	85·8	441·1
1969 *January	520·9	38·3	+ 8·4	3·6	56·8	589·7	77·7	512·0
February	556·3	40·9	+13·9	3·2	48·6	622·0	73·4	548·6
March	550·4	40·1	−21·5	4·0	47·1	580·0	76·0	504·0
*April	538·8	40·4	+ 1·8	4·0	55·7	600·3	78·7	521·6
May	546·7	38·9	−21·2	4·7	50·9	581·1	95·6	485·5
June	537·9	42·6	+ 1·2	3·8	49·6	592·5	87·9	504·6
*July	410·4	30·7	+15·0	4·8	55·0	485·2	110·1	375·1
August	433·5	37·4	−54·3	4·1	45·6	428·9	89·2	339·7
September	484·2	44·8	+67·9	4·2	47·0	603·3	102·1	501·2
*October	514·6	43·4	+ 0·4	5·6	55·7	576·3	105·8	470·5
November	529·2	45·5	+32·2	4·1	42·1	607·6	135·0	472·6
December	486·4	40·6	−17·6	4·4	58·1	531·3	110·7	420·6
1970 *January	506·6	42·0	—	3·9	46·8	557·3	92·4	464·9
February	558·0	46·0						
March								

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Production of finished steel

TABLE 73 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons

	Heavy rails, sleepers, etc.	Heavy and medium plates (1)	Other heavy steel products (2)	Hot rolled strip	Wire rods (3)	Other light rolled products (4)	Cold rolled strip	Sheets coated and uncoated (1)(3)	Tin and blackplate	Tubes, pipes and fittings (3)(5)	Tyres, wheels and axles	Steel castings (6)
1966...	5·3	59·7	47·4	32·3	30·8	60·4	10·2	77·0	23·4	28·8	1·7	5·5
1967...	5·1	57·5	48·8	30·4	30·9	56·3	9·4	72·6	23·8	26·3	1·5	4·7
1968...	5·0	62·6	50·8	34·8	37·7	57·5	11·3	83·3	24·1	27·7	1·5	4·9
1969...	4·9	69·0	54·4	37·0	39·5	64·6	11·9	83·9	25·4	29·8	1·6	5·2
1968 *October	4·9	71·9	57·1	39·6	41·6	56·4	10·8	95·4	26·8	30·8	1·9	5·4
November	5·3	76·8	59·7	37·9	40·7	66·9	13·8	89·1	27·3	28·2	1·7	
December	4·4	65·8	52·2	34·2	35·4	55·1	9·7	80·1	23·3	29·6	1·5	
1969 *January	4·2	66·6	56·5	37·2	39·3	61·0	11·8	94·4	26·5	26·9	1·4	5·5
February	4·3	70·0	58·0	35·6	43·8	64·5	12·6	92·6	25·9	30·6	1·6	
March	5·7	71·9	58·4	38·2	44·1	65·6	13·9	90·0	26·3	25·8	1·8	
*April	5·4	70·2	57·3	39·1	40·8	63·3	12·1	92·4	26·0	28·7	1·7	5·0
May	5·8	69·9	57·2	39·2	38·3	66·2	11·7	87·3	26·4	33·0	1·4	
June	5·5	76·5	50·6	37·7	39·1	72·8	14·4	87·5	27·7	35·8	1·6	
*July	4·2	54·1	37·8	29·3	33·1	50·2	10·0	74·0	22·9	28·4	1·3	5·0
August	4·0	59·9	51·9	29·9	32·4	54·1	9·4	76·5	19·4	21·8	1·4	
September	5·0	72·7	58·4	39·8	35·5	72·6	12·0	82·8	24·9	31·2	2·0	
*October	6·1	75·1	57·8	40·1	43·5	69·7	12·2	79·4	27·2	31·8	1·6	5·4
November	4·8	74·4	59·0	38·3	43·6	71·2	11·9	79·2	27·5	32·8	1·8	
December	4·1	69·8	51·9	39·8	41·6	67·0	11·4	69·2	23·5	31·0	1·7	

(1) Plates 3 mm. thick and over; sheets less than 3 mm. Alloy qualities are included.
(2) Excludes alloy. (3) Deliveries from home production. (4) Includes alloy, all sizes.
(5) Excludes welded tubes over 16 inch o.d. (6) Up to and including fettling. * Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Copper and zinc

TABLE 74 — Monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Copper							Zinc			
	Production		Home consumption		Stocks	Production (1)			Home consumption		Stocks
	Virgin refined	Secondary refined	Virgin and secondary refined	Scrap (metal content)	Refined	Semi-manufactures	Castings and miscellaneous uses	Slab production	Slab	Other (metal content) (2)	Slab (3)
1966	3·6	13·4	48·6	11·6	30·8	63·5	6·3	8·31	22·0	6·2	95·9
1967	2·9	11·7	41·6	11·6	22·5	56·0	5·8	8·57	21·0	5·9	19·1
1968	4·1	13·0	44·3	11·0	31·5	59·0	6·0	11·47	22·7	5·4	18·6
1969	4·0	12·2	44·8	11·8	27·1	60·5	6·1	12·38	23·5	6·8	20·4
1969 January	4·3	9·9	44·5	13·1	24·7	62·3	6·1	10·4	25·2	6·5	16·6
February	4·2	9·8	46·5	10·7	27·2	61·4	6·1	12·1	25·6	6·3	17·6
March	4·0	11·0	47·5	11·9	31·0	63·8	6·6	12·1	23·8	7·0	17·8
April	5·6	11·9	45·6	12·3	30·0	63·2	5·9	11·3	24·8	6·2	17·6
May	4·4	11·4	45·2	12·1	28·7	60·8	6·2	10·9	23·8	7·3	17·1
June	6·3	12·0	50·9	7·3	25·1	62·5	6·0	12·6	23·5	6·7	19·5
July	5·7	11·3	46·0	9·9	23·1	59·5	5·9	12·7	22·8	7·1	19·9
August	3·1	10·7	32·3	11·2	31·9	46·0	5·7	12·3	18·1	6·6	19·7
September	3·1	13·7	41·4	14·9	32·0	60·0	5·9	12·4	21·4	7·0	20·5
October	1·8	14·7	49·1	13·9	29·7	67·4	6·5	14·1	25·2	7·9	22·1
November	2·1	15·0	42·9	14·1	28·2	60·4	6·3	13·8	25·1	7·4	22·8
December	3·9	15·1	46·0	9·3	27·1	59·0	5·6	13·8	22·6	5·9	20·4
1970 January	4·2	13·0	46·7	14·3	29·6	66·2	5·9	14·5	26·3	8·1	20·7
February											
March											

(1) Copper and copper alloys. (2) Including scrap. (3) From 1967 the figures are restricted to stocks held by consumers and L.M.E. warehouses.

Sources: Ministry of Technology
World Bureau of Metal Statistics

Lead, tin and aluminium

TABLE 75 — Monthly averages or calendar months Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Lead						Tin				Aluminium			
		Home consumption			Stocks						Production		Despatches to consumers	
	Production of English refined (1)	Imported virgin (2)	English refined	Scrap (metal content)	Imported virgin	English refined	Production (3)	Home consumption	Exports and re-exports (4)	Stocks	Virgin (5)	Secondary (6)	Virgin (5)	Secondary (6)
1966	9·23	16·7	7·3	9·9	29·6	21·0	1·56	1·64	0·50	3·4	3·05	15·1	30·3	14·8
1967	10·31	14·1	8·6	9·6	18·3	24·9	2·13	1·60	0·78	6·1	3·20	14·7	29·6	15·6
1968	11·93	15·3	7·3	9·0	56·8	11·7	2·15	1·60	0·86	9·7	3·17	15·4	32·4	16·6
1969	11·62	13·0	9·6	7·5	57·4	12·1	2·16	1·61	1·13	3·9	2·77	17·2	32·5	18·6
1969 January	11·9	13·7	10·9	6·5	58·1	12·5	2·52	1·85	1·26	9·6	2·81	16·6	40·8	19·1
February	11·3	9·5	9·8	9·2	65·5	14·7	1·90	1·53	0·28	9·3	2·78	16·0	33·9	18·0
March	12·3	12·0	10·9	9·0	69·3	14·6	2·41	1·60	1·49	9·2	2·74	17·9	31·4	19·8
April	12·4	12·5	9·0	8·3	69·5	13·2	2·47	1·78	1·54	8·2	2·87	15·8	34·0	17·4
May	11·4	13·0	9·4	8·3	71·7	13·3	2·34	1·55	1·95	8·6	3·25	16·7	28·4	17·9
June	12·3	14·3	9·5	6·9	61·4	13·2	1·94	1·63	0·82	8·5	2·40	17·6	29·0	18·4
July	11·0	13·2	9·3	5·6	61·1	15·2	2·30	1·59	1·13	8·4	2·19	16·6	30·5	17·6
August	10·4	11·7	7·8	6·5	61·5	12·1	1·28	1·33	1·04	6·5	2·52	11·7	32·3	13·7
September	11·3	15·4	8·8	6·4	58·0	11·9	1·62	1·50	1·60	5·0	2·94	18·4	35·0	19·7
October	13·5	14·9	10·3	7·4	61·1	12·9	2·45	1·81	1·37	4·6	2·46	22·2	36·2	24·1
Nov.	10·3	13·1	10·0	8·8	61·6	11·6	2·21	1·59	0·68	3·8	2·96	18·2	27·1	18·9
Dec.	11·3	12·8	9·3	7·5	57·4	12·1	2·53	1·57	0·68	3·9	3·35	18·5	31·2	18·9
1970 January	12·2	12·8	8·7	8·2	61·0	12·5	2·33	1·68	2·14	2·8				
February														
March														

(1) Lead reclaimed from secondary and scrap material, and lead refined from domestic ores. (2) Including lead imported for processing on toll. (3) Including production from imported scrap and residues refined on toll. (4) Including toll transactions. (5) Including the pure content of virgin alloys. (6) Excluding virgin content used in the production of secondary metal.

Sources: Ministry of Technology
World Bureau of Metal Statistics
Aluminium Federation

Deliveries of mechanical and electrical engineering products(1)
1966 – 1968

TABLE 76

£ million

	1966	1967	1968	1967		1968			
				3rd quarter	4th quarter	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter
Machinery other than electrical:									
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors)	53·9	49·0	56·5	11·5	9·9	14·4	15·3	14·2	12·6
Metal-working machine tools and welding machinery	166·6	170·1	169·6	40·7	42·5	42·9	38·1	41·8	46·8
Engineers' small tools and gauges	91·8	90·1	92·4	20·6	22·5	23·9	22·5	22·0	24·0
Internal combustion engines	64·4	69·3	83·6	15·0	18·4	19·6	19·4	21·0	23·6
Other prime movers	73·2	79·0	76·4	18·7	25·1	18·8	18·9	15·4	23·3
Textile machinery and accessories	110·6	113·9	126·4	26·9	30·6	30·2	29·6	30·1	36·5
Contractors' plant and quarrying machinery	143·5	157·6	190·6	37·0	40·7	45·7	48·9	45·1	50·9
Mechanical handling equipment	132·5	130·0	153·5	31·1	34·5	33·8	33·8	39·0	46·9
Office machinery	78·7	77·4	79·2	17·3	20·4	19·5	20·0	18·6	21·1
Mining machinery	61·2	69·0	63·3	17·4	16·4	16·5	16·2	15·0	15·6
Refrigerating machinery	53·5	54·4	63·9	12·8	11·9	16·3	17·8	16·4	13·4
Space-heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment	78·9	77·9	83·8	20·1	21·0	20·4	19·9	21·3	22·2
Pumps and industrial valves	144·0	151·1	162·3	34·8	39·0	40·1	39·8	38·9	43·5
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	44·4	44·5	46·8	10·8	10·8	12·2	11·6	11·0	12·0
Food and drink machinery	45·5	45·6	52·9	10·7	11·8	10·9	15·1	12·0	14·9
Packaging machinery	26·8	27·9	31·5	6·1	8·0	7·2	8·3	7·0	9·0
Steel and non-ferrous metal rolling mills and ancillary equipment	26·5	28·3	17·1	7·1	8·3	6·0	2·5	4·2	4·4
Other machinery except electrical machinery	309·3	307·8	340·0	71·3	83·0	84·4	83·9	80·8	90·9
Industrial plant and fabricated steelwork:									
Water tube boilers	91·7	90·3	90·2	18·5	28·0	20·2	25·8	22·9	21·3
Shell boilers and boilerhouse plant	48·1	46·9	46·3	11·1	12·6	9·8	12·6	10·3	13·6
Chemical plant	128·3	128·1	128·8	32·4	29·4	32·2	29·3	29·8	37·5
Iron, steel and non-ferrous metal works plant other than rolling mills	36·8	32·8	21·6	8·4	6·5	6·6	5·6	4·8	4·6
Other industrial plant and fabricated steelwork	222·4	231·2	215·3	54·0	58·6	53·7	54·8	49·8	57·0
Instruments, watches and clocks:									
Photographic equipment	95·3	100·4	125·6	25·0	25·4	30·7	33·1	30·9	30·9
Optical instruments	12·7	15·6	15·0	3·5	4·3	3·9	3·6	3·5	4·0
Spectacles, etc.	11·7	14·8	17·0	3·3	4·0	4·2	4·2	4·0	4·6
Surgical, dental and veterinary instruments and appliances	15·6	16·2	18·6	3·8	4·2	4·7	4·5	4·5	4·9
Other scientific instruments and equipment	106·2	109·6	118·0	25·8	30·0	31·0	28·4	27·7	30·9
Watches and clocks	15·5	16·1	16·8	4·2	4·7	4·1	3·6	4·4	4·7
Electrical machinery:									
Generating equipment and rotating electrical machines	156·0	161·1	165·0	35·9	42·5	45·4	40·9	35·4	43·3
Transformers for lighting, heating and power	69·1	69·7	63·0	15·7	18·1	16·3	15·1	15·1	16·5
Switchgear and control gear	197·9	198·9	187·3	45·2	50·5	49·3	47·2	44·1	46·7
Other electrical machinery	31·8	33·8	34·9	8·0	9·0	8·6	8·0	8·5	9·8
Insulated wires and cables	253·6	244·1	271·8	55·6	65·8	71·0	68·0	63·3	69·5
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	146·9	181·5	198·5	40·7	50·1	49·4	50·6	48·7	49·8
Radio and other electronic apparatus:									
Broadcast receiving equipment and gramophones	135·0	132·5	180·6	30·8	43·8	43·7	41·3	41·8	53·8
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	318·6	379·9	454·4	96·9	105·7	103·1	120·3	110·0	121·0
Radio and electronic components including valves	166·0	176·2	205·1	40·6	46·0	49·0	51·7	49·3	55·1
Other electrical goods:									
Domestic electrical appliances	151·7	153·7	180·3	36·1	49·7	46·4	40·1	42·6	51·2
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles, cycles and aircraft	91·0	88·9	104·6	19·9	23·4	26·4	27·4	23·7	27·1
Primary batteries	21·3	22·8	25·2	5·9	6·6	6·6	5·4	6·1	7·1
Secondary batteries (accumulators)	35·5	36·4	40·0	8·7	10·9	9·6	9·1	9·5	11·8
Electric lamps	34·0	35·3	39·5	8·0	10·7	10·6	9·5	8·4	11·0
Miscellaneous electrical goods	106·2	105·5	120·4	23·7	28·1	29·3	28·8	30·0	32·3
Ball and roller bearings	62·1	64·9	64·3	14·4	16·6	17·3	16·6	12·3	18·1
Components not included above and sub-contract sales	302·9	295·9	335·4	67·9	76·4	80·8	83·4	81·9	89·3
Amount charged for work done on customers' materials and repair work	101·7	100·8	111·2	25·1	25·3	29·0	29·4	27·3	25·5

(1) Characteristic products of industries in Order VI of the *Standard Industrial Classification 1958*, except ordnance and small arms. Excluding deliveries by the smallest firms which are estimated to be about 2 per cent of the total. In general, spare parts supplied by manufacturers of complete machines are included with these machines, but parts, other than those separately specified, supplied for assembly by makers of complete machines are included in the heading for sub-contract sales and components.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Mechanical, instrument and electrical engineering industries

Total deliveries

TABLE 77

£ million

	1969		
	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter
Mechanical engineering			
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors)	16·5	19·4	15·8
Metal-working machine tools and welding machinery	46·2	47·9	50·2
Pumps	14·4	16·0	15·5
Industrial valves	24·3	23·9	23·8
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	9·9	9·4	9·1
Fluid power equipment	5·4	7·6	8·0
Internal combustion engines	20·4	20·8	19·4
Turbines (gas, steam, etc.) and other prime movers	10·4	8·1	9·6
Textile machinery and accessories	33·1	38·6	35·9
Construction and earth-moving equipment	50·7	54·8	49·0
Mechanical handling plant	45·3	51·7	50·8
Office machinery	19·7	21·1	21·6
Mining machinery	18·5	18·9	19·4
Printing, bookbinding and paper goods machinery	7·4	10·4	8·5
Refrigerating machinery (excluding domestic refrigerators)	9·0	9·5	13·3
Space-heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment	21·6	24·6	24·1
Scales and weighing machinery	2·3	2·7	2·7
Portable power tools	6·2	6·6	6·9
Food and drink machinery	11·7	14·7	13·5
Packaging and bottling machinery	7·6	8·8	7·8
Metal rolling mills and ancillary equipment	6·0	2·7	4·2
Other machinery other than electrical machinery	70·5	60·6	58·4
Complete process plants	..	..	..
Water tube boilers	22·0	19·8	22·2
Shell boilers and boilerhouse plant	12·0	14·6	14·6
Metal works plant other than rolling mills	6·6	4·2	3·6
Other industrial (including process) plant	36·8	43·8	46·4
Constructional steelwork	13·8	17·1	17·3
Other fabricated iron and steelwork	41·4	43·5	43·9
Ball and roller bearings	18·6	20·3	18·7
Precision chains	..	..	..
Components not included above and sub-contract work	56·0	60·5	52·8
Instrument engineering			
Photographic, cinematographic and document-copying equipment	11·0		
Watches and clocks	4·3		
Medical, surgical, dental and veterinary instruments	3·0		
Spectacles	3·7		
Optical instruments	2·7		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—electronic	..		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—non-electronic	..		
Electrical engineering			
Generating equipment	15·2		
Turbines for electricity generation	12·9		
Transformers for lighting, heating and power	16·1		
Switchgear and control gear	46·8		
Other electrical machinery	23·1		
Insulated wires and cables	57·8		
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	46·8		
Valves and semi-conductor devices	24·5		
Integrated circuit assemblies	2·6		
Passive components	25·8		
Gramophone records and pre-recorded tapes	7·5		
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	26·3		
Electronic computers	30·7		
Alarms and signalling equipment	0·9		
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	73·4		
Domestic electrical appliances	42·8		
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles and aircraft	27·8		
Primary batteries	6·7		
Accumulators	11·1		
Electric lamps	9·9		
Electric light fittings	7·1		
Other electrical goods	21·4		

Note: All figures in this table are provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Mechanical, instrument and electrical engineering industries

Deliveries for export

TABLE 78

£ million

	1969		
	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter
Mechanical engineering			
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors)	6·9	7·4	6·6
Metal-working machine tools and welding machinery	17·5	18·2	17·8
Pumps	3·5	4·0	3·7
Industrial valves	6·3	6·0	6·1
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	2·1	1·7	2·0
Fluid power equipment	1·2	1·9	2·2
Internal combustion engines	9·0	7·9	6·9
Turbines (gas, steam, etc.) and other prime movers	0·6	0·5	0·4
Textile machinery and accessories	20·1	26·1	24·2
Construction and earth-moving equipment	23·0	24·1	22·8
Mechanical handling plant	10·1	13·3	15·0
Office machinery	10·5	11·6	10·6
Mining machinery	2·5	3·0	3·1
Printing, bookbinding and paper goods machinery	4·0	4·4	3·8
Refrigerating machinery (excluding domestic refrigerators)	2·0	2·2	3·2
Space-heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment	3·0	4·5	5·2
Scales and weighing machinery	0·6	0·9	0·9
Portable power tools	2·3	2·8	2·8
Food and drink machinery	4·0	5·0	3·8
Packaging and bottling machinery	4·3	4·1	4·0
Metal rolling mills and ancillary equipment	3·1	1·2	2·2
Other machinery other than electrical machinery	30·1	28·3	26·8
Complete process plants	..	..	..
Water tube boilers	3·5	6·1	6·9
Shell boilers and boilerhouse plant	4·5	4·1	4·3
Metal works plant other than rolling mills	1·8	0·3	0·6
Other industrial (including process) plant	10·4	12·7	10·8
Constructional steelwork	7·0	5·7	4·8
Other fabricated iron and steelwork	7·2	5·2	6·4
Ball and roller bearings	5·0	5·7	5·2
Precision chains	..	..	..
Components not included above and sub-contract work	9·5	9·2	9·3
Instrument engineering			
Photographic, cinematographic and document-copying equipment	7·9		
Watches and clocks	1·7		
Medical, surgical, dental and veterinary instruments	1·0		
Spectacles	0·5		
Optical instruments	0·8		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—electronic	..		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—non-electronic	..		
Electrical engineering			
Generating equipment	5·1		
Turbines for electricity generation	6·2		
Transformers for lighting, heating and power	3·4		
Switchgear and control gear	6·8		
Other electrical machinery	6·0		
Insulated wires and cables	8·0		
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	8·4		
Valves and semi-conductor devices	5·1		
Integrated circuit assemblies	0·6		
Passive components	3·5		
Gramophone records and pre-recorded tapes	1·5		
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	5·2		
Electronic computers	10·6		
Alarms and signalling equipment	0·1		
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	22·1		
Domestic electrical appliances	9·4		
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles and aircraft	3·1		
Primary batteries	2·6		
Accumulators	1·6		
Electric lamps	1·1		
Electric light fittings	0·7		
Other electrical goods	2·9		

Note: All figures in this table are provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Mechanical, instrument and electrical engineering industries

Orders on hand: total and export

TABLE 79 — End of period — £ million

	1969					
	1st quarter		2nd quarter		3rd quarter	
	Total	Export	Total	Export	Total	Export
Mechanical engineering						
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors)	5·5	1·5	3·9	1·6	3·8	1·4
Metal-working machine tools and welding machinery	107·3	47·4	118·7	53·2	122·9	53·6
Pumps	38·0	9·0	33·8	9·7	41·3	13·7
Industrial valves	36·0	12·0	39·2	14·6	40·6	14·0
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	20·0	4·0	21·0	6·7	20·2	7·0
Fluid power equipment	10·0	2·0	15·5	5·3	15·9	5·0
Internal combustion engines	46·5	23·2	54·9	27·6	53·3	27·7
Turbines (gas, steam, etc.) and other prime movers	1·1	0·8	1·2	1·0	5·9	1·3
Textile machinery and accessories	88·0	54·2	92·8	61·1	97·3	65·9
Construction and earth-moving equipment	60·1	31·4	55·5	32·4	53·9	32·4
Mechanical handling plant	138·0	31·4	148·8	35·6	153·3	40·1
Office machinery	54·5	22·4	59·6	21·5	60·6	21·0
Mining machinery	10·1	2·8	12·1	2·4	14·3	2·5
Printing, bookbinding and paper goods machinery	24·6	11·8	29·8	19·2	30·7	20·7
Refrigerating machinery (excluding domestic refrigerators)	19·5	3·5	18·3	3·5	19·3	5·6
Space-heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment	31·8	2·6	28·3	2·2	31·0	2·2
Scales and weighing machinery	3·7	1·0	4·3	1·1	4·6	1·3
Portable power tools	5·6	4·6	5·4	4·5	6·4	5·3
Food and drink machinery	34·8	9·6	33·1	7·0	28·6	7·3
Packaging and bottling machinery	19·4	9·5	25·8	13·7	28·6	16·3
Metal rolling mills and ancillary equipment	21·7	13·1	26·9	16·6	27·7	17·1
Other machinery other than electrical machinery	161·2	79·5	170·9	83·5	169·8	83·7
Complete process plants	..	..	..	..	..	..
Water tube boilers	107·3	13·7	109·1	17·9	108·9	18·0
Shell boilers and boilerhouse plant	39·0	9·0	40·2	6·2	37·0	5·0
Metal works plant other than rolling mills	23·0	9·0	29·6	14·9	36·1	18·5
Other industrial (including process) plant	130·0	42·0	127·4	37·0	122·4	40·5
Constructional steelwork	30·0	15·0	36·9	21·9	34·3	21·4
Other fabricated iron and steelwork	150·0	48·0	156·0	49·0	168·8	44·4
Ball and roller bearings	35·6	8·0	37·4	7·5	41·8	9·1
Precision chains	..	..	..	..	..	..
Components not included above and sub-contract work	90·0	20·0	84·6	20·0	88·1	20·2
Instrument engineering						
Photographic, cinematographic and document-copying equipment	8·6	5·6				
Watches and clocks	2·6	0·8				
Medical, surgical, dental and veterinary instruments	1·7	0·6				
Spectacles	0·5	0·1				
Optical instruments	5·9	1·4				
Other scientific and industrial instruments—electronic	..	..				
Other scientific and industrial instruments—non-electronic	..	..				
Electrical engineering						
Generating equipment	83·0	27·9				
Turbines for electricity generation	162·5	71·5				
Transformers for lighting, heating and power	65·5	17·4				
Switchgear and control gear	99·1	18·7				
Other electrical machinery	63·9	23·3				
Insulated wires and cables	67·3	17·2				
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	256·2	51·7				
Valves and semi-conductor devices	25·3	8·6				
Integrated circuit assemblies	4·4	0·7				
Passive components	28·2	4·3				
Gramophone records and pre-recorded tapes	0·8	0·2				
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	14·3	4·0				
Electronic computers	157·9	49·0				
Alarms and signalling equipment	0·9	0·1				
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	284·1	106·3				
Domestic electrical appliances	10·7	3·9				
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles and aircraft	17·1	2·7				
Primary batteries	0·2	—				
Accumulators	7·5	1·7				
Electric lamps	0·7	0·1				
Electric light fittings	2·8	0·3				
Other electrical goods	18·0	2·8				

Note: All figures in this table are provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Mechanical, instrument and electrical engineering industries

Total net new orders

TABLE 80

£ million

	1969		
	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter
Mechanical engineering			
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors)	18·7	17·8	15·7
Metal-working machine tools and welding machinery	56·6	59·3	54·4
Pumps	..	11·8	23·0
Industrial valves	..	27·1	25·2
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	11·6	10·4	8·3
Fluid power equipment	..	13·1	8·4
Internal combustion engines	33·3	29·2	17·8
Turbines (gas, steam, etc.) and other prime movers	..	8·2	14·3
Textile machinery and accessories	40·1	43·4	40·4
Construction and earth-moving equipment	50·6	50·2	47·4
Mechanical handling plant	57·1	62·5	55·3
Office machinery	36·3	26·2	22·6
Mining machinery	14·9	20·9	21·6
Printing, bookbinding and paper goods machinery	..	15·6	9·4
Refrigerating machinery (excluding domestic refrigerators)	8·8	8·3	14·3
Space-heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment	26·0	21·1	26·8
Scales and weighing machinery	..	3·3	3·0
Portable power tools	..	6·4	7·9
Food and drink machinery	10·6	13·0	9·0
Packaging and bottling machinery	10·8	15·2	10·6
Metal rolling mills and ancillary equipment	7·9	7·9	5·0
Other machinery other than electrical machinery	..	70·3	57·3
Complete process plants	..	..	..
Water tube boilers	6·3	11·6	22·0
Shell boilers and boilerhouse plant	13·0	15·8	11·4
Metal works plant other than rolling mills	7·4	10·8	10·1
Other industrial (including process) plant	..	41·2	41·1
Constructional steelwork	..	24·0	14·7
Other fabricated iron and steelwork	..	49·5	56·7
Ball and roller bearings	20·0	22·1	23·1
Precision chains	..	..	..
Components not included above and sub-contract work	..	55·1	56·3
Instrument engineering			
Photographic, cinematographic and document-copying equipment	..		
Watches and clocks	4·4		
Medical, surgical, dental and veterinary instruments	2·3		
Spectacles	3·6		
Optical instruments	2·5		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—electronic	..		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—non-electronic	..		
Electrical engineering			
Generating equipment	..		
Turbines for electricity generation	..		
Transformers for lighting, heating and power	10·3		
Switchgear and control gear	29·0		
Other electrical machinery	..		
Insulated wires and cables	67·9		
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	63·0		
Valves and semi-conductor devices	27·5		
Integrated circuit assemblies	..		
Passive components	25·6		
Gramophone records and pre-recorded tapes	..		
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	..		
Electronic computers	38·0		
Alarms and signalling equipment	..		
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	..		
Domestic electrical appliances	..		
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles and aircraft	23·6		
Primary batteries	6·2		
Accumulators	10·8		
Electric lamps	9·8		
Electric light fittings	..		
Other electrical goods	..		

Note: All figures in this table are provisional

Source: Ministry of Technology

Mechanical, instrument and electrical engineering industries

Net new orders for export

TABLE 81

£ million

	1969		
	1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter
Mechanical engineering			
Agricultural machinery (excluding tractors)	6·4	7·5	6·4
Metal-working machine tools and welding machinery	22·2	24·0	18·2
Pumps	..	4·7	7·7
Industrial valves	..	8·6	5·5
Air and gas compressors and exhausters	0·7	4·4	2·3
Fluid power equipment	..	5·2	1·9
Internal combustion engines	10·6	12·3	7·0
Turbines (gas, steam, etc.) and other prime movers	..	0·7	0·7
Textile machinery and accessories	25·0	33·0	29·0
Construction and earth-moving equipment	31·8	25·1	22·8
Mechanical handling plant	13·2	17·5	19·5
Office machinery	15·4	10·7	10·1
Mining machinery	3·6	2·6	3·2
Printing, bookbinding and paper goods machinery	..	11·8	5·3
Refrigerating machinery (excluding domestic refrigerators)	1·7	2·2	5·3
Space-heating, ventilating and air-conditioning equipment	3·1	4·1	5·2
Scales and weighing machinery	..	1·0	1·1
Portable power tools	..	2·7	3·6
Food and drink machinery	1·1	2·4	4·1
Packaging and bottling machinery	5·6	8·3	6·6
Metal rolling mills and ancillary equipment	3·2	4·7	2·7
Other machinery other than electrical machinery	..	32·3	27·0
Complete process plants	..	..	..
Water tube boilers	2·2	10·3	7·0
Shell boilers and boilerhouse plant	3·4	1·3	3·1
Metal works plant other than rolling mills	1·8	6·2	4·2
Other industrial (including process) plant	..	7·7	14·3
Constructional steelwork	..	12·6	4·3
Other fabricated iron and steelwork	..	6·2	1·8
Ball and roller bearings	5·7	5·2	6·8
Precision chains	..	..	..
Components not included above and sub-contract work	..	9·2	9·5
Instrument engineering			
Photographic, cinematographic and document-copying equipment	..		
Watches and clocks	1·6		
Medical, surgical, dental and veterinary instruments	0·7		
Spectacles	0·6		
Optical instruments	0·1		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—electronic	..		
Other scientific and industrial instruments—non-electronic	..		
Electrical engineering			
Generating equipment	..		
Turbines for electricity generation	..		
Transformers for lighting, heating and power	3·8		
Switchgear and control gear	4·3		
Other electrical machinery	..		
Insulated wires and cables	7·2		
Telegraph and telephone apparatus	23·6		
Valves and semi-conductor devices	9·1		
Integrated circuit assemblies	..		
Passive components	3·4		
Gramophone records and pre-recorded tapes	..		
Broadcast receiving and sound reproducing equipment	..		
Electronic computers	19·2		
Alarms and signalling equipment	..		
Radio, radar and electronic capital goods	..		
Domestic electrical appliances	..		
Electrical equipment for motor vehicles and aircraft	1·8		
Primary batteries	2·5		
Accumulators	0·7		
Electric lamps	1·0		
Electric light fittings	..		
Other electrical goods	..		

Note: All figures in this table are provisional.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Electricity generating plant and rotating electrical machines

TABLE 82

	Deliveries of electricity generating plant						Production of rotating electrical machines							
	Hydraulic turbines		Steam turbo-alternators 10,000 kW. and over		Steam turbines less than 10,000 kW.		Fractional horse-power		A.C. motors		A.C. generators		D.C. machines	
	Total	Export	Total	Export	Total	Export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export	Total	For export
	Thousand B.H.P.		Thousand kW.				£ thousand							
1966	247·1	247·1	10,452·0	2,770·0	170·2	63·4	18,698	2,517	40,531	10,480	7,068	2,326	13,801	4,03
1967	1,068·4	1,068·4	10,799·0	2,685·6	136·1	51·5	18,368	2,317	39,473	9,785	7,568	2,503	11,590	3,35
1968	1,949·8	1,949·8	6,920·7	1,730·0	110·6	31·7	21,563	2,123	37,778	9,697	8,285	2,494	8,823	2,45
1969	335·4	333·7	6,881·9	2,201·2	86·1	26·6								
1967 1st quarter	133·9	133·9	2,337·4	736·5	42·8	24·8	4,676	600	10,217	2,749	2,059	778	3,307	83
2nd quarter	558·2	558·2	1,532·5	610·0	40·9	17·6	4,677	695	10,154	2,722	1,854	608	3,178	94
3rd quarter	112·0	112·0	1,793·6	240·0	10·6	1·6	4,062	535	9,352	2,045	1,742	586	2,485	95
4th quarter	264·3	264·3	5,135·5	1,099·1	41·8	7·5	4,953	488	9,749	2,269	1,913	530	2,620	63
1968 1st quarter	672·0	672·0	1,100·9	590·0	25·6	3 3	5,175	520	9,406	2,544	2,130	647	2,095	62
2nd quarter	665·4	665·4	2,665·3	530·0	24·4	18·4	5,315	533	9,325	2,582	1,914	577	2,049	47
3rd quarter	335·0	335·0	979·3	460·0	24·9	—	5,071	480	9,051	2,099	1,898	563	2,170	50
4th quarter	277·4	277·4	2,175·2	150·0	35·7	10·0	6,002	589	9,996	2,472	2,342	707	2,510	84
1969 1st quarter	1·7	—	1,778·3	355·0	20·2	15·2	5,890	691	9,213	2,377	2,049	644	2,771	83
2nd quarter	185·0	185·0	1,042·1	887·1	13·5	5·8	5,895	726	10,609	3,504	2,077	743	2,165	56
3rd quarter	108·5	108·5	2,198·8	674·8	24·7	—	5,229	628	10,144	2,863	1,650	503	1,854	45
October ...	—	—	626·3	14·8	27·7	5·6								
November ...	40·2	40·2	984·4	29·5										
December ...			252·0	240·0										
1970 January ...			120·0	120·0										

Source: Ministry of Technology

Manufacturers' sales of electric gramophone record players and turntables

TABLE 83

	Gramophone record players(1)						Complete gramophone turntable units(2)					
	Total		Home		Export		Total		Home		Export	
	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousa
1966	402·9	5,355·5	384·7	5,143·0	18·1	212·6	4,807·1	15,247·8	710·7	2,108·6	4,096·4	13,139·
1967	412·6	5,192·4	398·4	5,035·6	14·2	156·8	4,262·4	13,824·1	779·4	2,409·4	3,483·0	11,414·
1968	533·1	6,829·1	509·2	6,549·7	23·9	279 4	5,632·3	20,858·4	1,084·2	3,810·0	4,548·1	17,049·
1969	467·8	6,330·6	444·5	6,038·1	23·2	292·5	6,683·2	24,075·4	1,002·0	3,524·6	5,681·3	20,550·
1967 1st quarter	86·9	1,097·1	83·9	1,064·9	3·0	32·2	941·6	2,936·3	156·6	497·2	784·9	2,439·
2nd quarter	59·6	730·2	56·5	696·8	3·1	33·4	932·6	3,034·9	139·1	425·3	793·5	2,609·
3rd quarter	96·8	1,233·2	93·7	1,202·1	3·1	31·1	1,043·9	3,312·7	175·4	558·2	868·6	2,754·
4th quarter	169·3	2,131·9	164·3	2,071·7	5·0	60·2	1,344·2	4,540·2	308·3	928·8	1,035·9	3,611·
1968 1st quarter	140·0	1,630·7	135·8	1,582·1	4·3	48·6	1,190·6	4,420·9	249·8	862·8	940·7	3,558·
2nd quarter	100·2	1,312·8	96·4	1,271·6	3·8	41·1	1,359·9	4,841·9	229·3	791·1	1,130·5	4,050·
3rd quarter	118·3	1,514·8	111·3	1,438·8	7·0	76·0	1,427·7	5,466·6	247·7	860·9	1,180·0	4,605·
4th quarter	174·6	2,370·9	165·7	2,257·2	8·9	113·7	1,654·2	6,129·1	354·3	1,295·1	1,296·9	4,834·
1969 1st quarter...	95·7	1,368·3	90·1	1299·2	5·7	69·1	1,618·5	5,692·1	254·6	886·1	1,364·0	4,806·
2nd quarter...	74·1	1,040·1	68·4	969·9	5·7	71·2	1,875·5	6,559·4	200·9	748·0	1,674·6	5,811·
July ...	26·1	320·3	24·6	301·6	1·5	18·8	596·4	2,080·6	68·5	251·7	527·9	1,828·
August ...	24·4	304·7	23·5	288·4	0·9	16·4	559·5	1,974·3	68·2	254·4	491·3	1,719·
September...	54·5	774·9	52·2	744·7	2·3	30·2	340·4	1,360·0	82·9	303·2	257·5	1,056·
October ...	72·4	928·8	67·5	872·3	4·9	56·5	554·5	2,092·8	85·2	322·7	469·3	1,770·
November...	66·8	898·3	66·2	888·6	0·6	9·7	550·7	2,077·7	86·1	327·3	464·6	1,750·
December ...	48·6	637·6	47·6	625·5	1·0	12·1	592·8	2,295·2	160·2	429·1	432·6	1,816·

(1) With built-in amplification, complete in case.
(2) Including sales to other United Kingdom manufacturers of turntable units which may be incorporated later in complete electric gramophones.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of electrical equipment and appliances

TABLE 84

	Blankets				Vacuum cleaners				Dry shavers		Cookers (1)
	Total		For export		Total		For export		Home		Total
	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands
1966	1,507	4,526	37	126	1,540	17,915	558	4,155	1,016	3,942	546
1967	1,288	4,119	51	159	1,537	18,602	468	3,531	963	3,845	618
1968	1,456	4,705	67	212	1,751	21,961	567	4,546	874	3,446	683
1969	1,459	4,813	97	344	1,887	22,717	727	5,971	537	1,892	651
1967 1st quarter	166	524	7	26	402	4,473	160	1,149	139	531	180
2nd quarter	183	642	9	22	389	4,753	114	826	214	890	142
3rd quarter	397	1,161	21	68	343	4,422	74	607	267	1,065	164
4th quarter	542	1,792	14	43	403	4,954	120	949	343	1,359	132
1968 1st quarter	196	556	13	44	525	6,505	156	1,237	156	611	164
2nd quarter	260	918	7	18	415	5,145	138	1,111	179	657	181
3rd quarter	429	1,360	18	56	400	4,963	138	1,116	249	969	161
4th quarter	572	1,871	28	93	412	5,346	136	1,083	291	1,208	178
1969 1st quarter	149	498	16	61	436	5,049	181	1,473	68	248	142
2nd quarter	205	737	14	50	476	5,836	181	1,497	123	413	164
3rd quarter	428	1,343	21	65	473	5,775	169	1,344	147	524	161
4th quarter	678	2,235	47	168	502	6,057	196	1,657	199	707	184

	Domestic washing machines				Electric irons				Electric lamps (complete)			
	Total		For export		Total		For export		Total (production)		Total	For export
									General lighting service	Other		
	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands		£ thousand	
1966	702	31,186	104	3,652	2,407	4,668	577	883	280,917	180,643	33,367	4,972
1967	718	31,910	102	3,712	2,288	4,817	585	1,039	272,333	199,512	33,577	4,872
1968	884	38,164	191	6,719	2,324	5,313	584	1,020	296,036	199,972	34,858	6,181
1969	829	35,566	250	9,345	2,112	5,016	530	1,081				
1967 1st quarter	157	7,063	24	827	508	1,009	130	221	72,522	52,184	8,839	1,329
2nd quarter	168	7,464	29	1,045	461	931	148	268	72,510	53,014	6,739	1,131
3rd quarter	179	7,890	20	763	567	1,219	128	244	56,925	42,341	7,577	1,260
4th quarter	214	9,493	29	1,077	752	1,658	179	306	70,376	51,974	10,422	1,152
1968 1st quarter	268	11,922	38	1,469	599	1,275	177	297	75,074	52,468	9,791	1,642
2nd quarter	202	8,580	46	1,585	502	1,119	147	241	76,300	50,831	7,181	1,388
3rd quarter	206	8,624	52	1,674	579	1,366	113	212	66,895	42,730	7,981	1,508
4th quarter	208	9,038	55	1,992	644	1,553	147	270	77,768	53,943	9,905	1,643
1969 1st quarter	199	8,463	57	2,022	430	1,002	113	223	77,182	54,393	10,267	1,967
2nd quarter	202	8,579	67	2,490	457	1,082	127	271	73,708	58,389	9,589	1,808
3rd quarter	208	8,788	64	2,420	541	1,343	109	223	65,492	49,345	9,557	1,892
4th quarter	220	9,736	62	2,413	684	1,589	181	364				

(1) Excluding cookers under 5kW.

Source: Ministry of Technology

RADIO EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES

Radios, radiograms and television sets

TABLE 85

	Radios and radiograms(1)							Television sets(1)				
	Production	Home sales				Export sales(3)		Production	Home sales		Export sales(3)	
		Radio sets(2)		Radiograms								
	Thousands	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	Thousands	£ thousand	Thousands	£ thousand
1966	1,578	1,364	12,350	182	6,049	65	621	1,399·0	1,292·0	51,821	72·8	2,764
1967	1,530	1,394	12,278	189	6,179	32	439	1,271·6	1,354·4	56,532	43·6	1,601
1968	1,736	1,413	13,293	225	7,813	35	464	1,963·4	1,873·6	91,321	57·3	2,308
1969	1,421	1,073	10,058	199	7,322	131	1,489	1,898·2	1,831·7	88,206	53·9	2,409
1967 1st quarter ...	383	299	2,714	38	1,248	7	110	276·7	283·9	11,150	12·8	460
2nd quarter ...	399	361	3,153	34	1,156	11	122	303·9	266·3	10,474	10·2	382
3rd quarter ...	333	340	2,999	43	1,440	6	86	280·1	345·9	14,192	9·1	331
4th quarter ...	415	394	3,412	74	2,335	8	121	410·9	458·3	20,716	11·5	428
1968 1st quarter ...	447	383	3,584	56	1,875	8	122	453·0	448·0	22,587	12·1	495
2nd quarter ...	455	367	3,464	48	1,650	7	85	468·2	419·5	20,635	13·8	559
3rd quarter ...	381	320	2,982	50	1,703	11	131	461·2	439·6	20,776	13·2	527
4th quarter ...	452	343	3,263	71	2,585	9	126	581·0	566·5	27,323	18·2	727
1969 1st quarter ...	403	247	2,410	44	1,731	22	222	542·6	437·8	19,939	16·2	660
2nd quarter...	394	289	2,643	34	1,193	34	407	469·0	429·3	18,954	8·3	405
July ...	121	86	803	14	389	15	176	137·1	105·5	5,192	3·4	157
August ...	78	79	706	12	433	10	126	84·5	101·5	4,814	3·6	160
September ...	104	106	975	23	878	12	137	149·3	173·5	8,706	3·1	133
October ...	111	105	985	28	1,027	16	169	179·0	218·8	11,170	6·1	275
November ...	113	91	867	25	939	9	111	172·0	193·2	10,069	5·2	232
December ...	96	70	669	19	732	13	142	164·7	172·1	9,362	7·8	386

(1) Including chassis. (2) Including car radios. (3) Value figures are calculated at f.o.b. prices. Source: Ministry of Technology

Deliveries of motor cycles, three-wheel motor vehicles and pedal cycles

TABLE 86 Monthly averages or calendar months Thousands

	Motor cycles, scooters, mopeds and three-wheel motor vehicles						Pedal cycles	
	All types			Mopeds	Scooters(2)	Three-wheel motor vehicles (3)		
	Value(1) £ thousand	Total	For export				Total	For export
1966	1,675	8·75	5·10	1·26	0·20	0·85	119	75
1967	1,663	8·75	4·79	2·14	0·05	0·85	120	75
1968	1,823	8·01	4·79	0·90	—	1·02	125	78
1969	1,879	6·94	4·71	0·41	0·01	1·01	135	90
1967 1st quarter ...	1,815	9·18	6·14	1·39	0·06	0·83	96	69
2nd quarter ...	1,912	12·06	5·81	4·28	0·05	1·01	122	87
3rd quarter ...	1,281	6·77	3·38	1·53	0·03	0·67	119	73
4th quarter ...	1,643	7·00	3·81	1·33	0·04	0·89	142	72
1968 1st quarter ...	2,152	9·66	5·63	1.25	0·01	1·12	93	60
2nd quarter ...	1,786	8·50	4·74	0·99	—	0·96	133	94
3rd quarter ...	1,493	6·64	3·74	0·77	—	1·00	132	83
4th quarter ...	1,851	7·25	5·04	0·59	—	0·98	143	73
1969 1st quarter ...	2,412	8·68	6·22	0·42	—	1·13	102	74
2nd quarter ...	2,310	8·60	5·81	0·58	—	1·07	147	111
3rd quarter ...	1,460	5·31	3·26	0·40	0·01	1·07	140	89
October	1,377	5·58	3·64	0·23	0·02	0·98	146	78
November	1,341	5·18	3·40	0·31	0·01	0·72	145	71
December	1,287	4·76	3·60	0·19	0·01	0·61	163	105

(1) Complete machines only. (2) Excluding certain imported machines only assembled in this country. (3) Excluding tractors, invalid carriages, electrically powered vehicles and certain imported machines only assembled in this country. Source: Ministry of Technology

Passenger cars(1)

TABLE 87 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods (Deliveries: calendar months)

	Total production Number						Production for export Number					Deliveries £ million		
	Weekly averages	Total	1,000 c.c. and under	Over 1,000 c.c. and not over 1,600 c.c.	Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,800 c.c.	Over 2,800 c.c.	Total	1,000 c.c. and under	Over 1,000 c.c. and not over 1,600 c.c.	Over 1,600 c.c. and not over 2,800 c.c.	Over 2,800 c.c.	Total (2)	Passenger cars (3)	Commercial vehicles (3)
1964(4) ...	*35,238*	155,637	32,544	95,510	22,254	5,328	58,813	11,998	35,587	8,908	2,320	105·3	63·9	27·5
1965	*33,116*	143,504	25,873	84,486	26,710	6,434	54,389	9,206	32,313	10,134	2,737	106·3	62·5	28·5
1966	*30,840*	133,640	25,116	67,819	34,378	6,326	52,083	10,738	25,752	12,460	3,134	110·0	61·6	30·5
1967	*29,846*	129,334	24,090	74,904	26,619	3,721	46,978	10,024	24,304	11,080	1,570	105·3	59·8	28·0
1968	*34,922*	151,328	21,529	94,480	30,265	5,054	66,898	12,934	39,722	12,526	1,716	124·9	74·3	30·9
1969(4) ...	*32,398*	143,089	20,240	89,945	27,176	5,728	68,693	12,770	39,747	13,758	2,418	127·8	70·3	34·2
1967 April ...	*35,547*	142,186	24,922	83,740	29,266	4,258	53,235	11,517	27,600	12,424	1,694	115·7	67·9	28·9
May ...	*34,392*	137,566	23,139	82,500	28,427	3,500	50,453	10,196	27,594	11,178	1,485	117·6	67·7	31·4
*June ...	*33,357*	166,785	29,990	97,381	35,035	4,379	61,197	14,788	30,442	14,299	1,668	122·3	70·8	31·5
July ...	*23,647*	94,589	14,793	62,101	15,451	2,244	31,344	6,952	17,910	5,575	907	117·8	71·9	27·4
Aug. ...	*22,784*	91,138	22,676	49,934	16,573	1,955	31,117	9,640	13,968	6,714	797	71·6	41·2	16·6
*Sept. ...	*25,935*	129,675	29,169	72,351	24,648	3,507	42,761	9,644	22,970	9,121	1,026	92·2	46·3	28·2
Oct. ...	*30,146*	120,582	25,353	67,111	24,835	3,283	34,731	5,729	19,190	8,608	1,204	92·9	49·4	26·4
Nov. ...	*32,239*	128,957	23,565	74,904	27,025	3,463	43,324	8,692	23,742	9,639	1,251	102·9	54·9	29·9
*Dec. ...	*30,594*	152,971	23,201	91,106	34,622	4,042	56,699	10,294	31,590	13,238	1,577	92·2	49·0	27·9
1968 Jan. ...	*30,504*	122,017	17,050	77,646	24,064	3,257	41,470	11,502	21,357	7,635	976	130·3	81·5	31·0
Feb. ...	*35,767*	143,068	19,570	84,525	35,304	3,669	62,901	13,386	33,849	14,483	1,183	130·3	82·4	29·5
*March	*40,494*	202,470	29,998	123,736	41,413	7,323	93,259	18,237	56,039	16,680	2,303	175·4	118·5	36·9
April ...	*36,332*	145,328	22,066	89,718	28,433	5,111	64,085	12,524	38,915	10,964	1,682	109·2	60·5	31·0
May ...	*40,455*	161,818	21,290	102,413	33,345	4,770	72,950	11,500	46,463	13,391	1,596	147·1	91·3	35·3
*June ...	*36,397*	181,986	22,085	115,835	37,421	6,645	88,056	12,815	56,793	15,929	2,519	111·9	63·4	29·7
July ...	*27,767*	111,067	9,466	78,835	18,263	4,503	51,027	5,616	36,095	7,704	1,612	114·2	66·3	29·1
Aug. ...	*25,195*	100,780	18,335	55,544	23,235	3,666	43,553	11,178	20,788	10,430	1,157	102·9	60·0	23·2
*Sept. ...	*35,548*	177,739	26,692	113,696	31,584	5,767	79,608	15,463	48,507	13,580	2,058	112·7	63·9	29·5
Oct. ...	*36,491*	145,965	22,567	91,299	27,382	4,717	55,676	13,497	29,792	11,002	1,385	115·4	61·6	30·9
Nov. ...	*37,596*	150,382	22,035	93,518	29,570	5,259	66,862	14,243	37,853	12,944	1,822	138·1	85·1	31·1
*Dec. ...	*34,663*	173,316	27,188	106,995	33,168	5,965	83,326	15,245	50,214	15,574	2,293	109·0	57·6	31·0
1969 *Jan. ...	*36,969*	184,845	29,966	115,995	32,564	6,320	81,472	17,667	45,877	15,651	2,277	123·5	63·6	37·2
Feb. ...	*36,031*	144,123	22,775	88,660	26,884	5,804	69,679	13,462	39,693	14,485	2,039	119·3	65·8	33·4
March	*30,547*	122,188	19,909	68,415	28,864	5,000	60,461	11,433	30,300	16,679	2,049	123·0	73·0	30·6
*April ...	*35,616*	178,082	23,405	112,058	34,478	8,141	85,432	14,007	51,514	16,796	3,115	155·7	94·0	39·0
May ...	*37,148*	148,594	19,402	95,791	27,618	5,783	77,326	12,828	47,976	14,015	2,507	147·4	84·0	38·1
June ...	*39,642*	158,570	21,599	103,002	28,100	5,869	76,552	12,782	45,591	15,199	2,980	131·5	74·5	34·2
*July ...	*26,594*	132,969	16,804	88,516	22,769	4,880	62,028	9,814	38,345	11,558	2,311	138·8	77·9	36·8
Aug. ...	*26,698*	106,789	18,774	63,505	20,798	3,712	55,199	13,268	28,545	11,811	1,575	119·8	67·2	29·6
Sept. ...	*28,704*	114,814	15,095	75,056	20,418	4,245	52,249	9,743	31,254	9,360	1,892	123·7	65·4	32·6
*Oct. ...	*29,775*	148,877	23,347	91,481	28,779	5,270	70,779	16,705	38,486	12,968	2,620	129·8	72·3	33·6
Nov. ...	*32,294*	129,177	16,769	82,481	23,809	6,118	65,001	13,214	38,173	11,307	2,307	106·9	49·4	33·6
*Dec. ...	*29,609*	148,045	15,034	94,377	31,036	7,598	68,137	8,321	41,208	15,268	3,340	114·1	56·8	32·1
1970 Jan. ...	*36,640*	146,560	18,164	91,417	29,821	7,158	65,706	11,008	37,413	14,140	3,145			
Feb. ...														
March														

(1) Including chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. Taxi-cabs are included.
(2) Including deliveries (by motor manufacturers only) of spare parts and accessories for passenger cars and commercial vehicles.
(3) Complete vehicles and chassis.
(4) 53 week period. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Commercial motor vehicles(1)

TABLE 88 — Monthly averages or totals for four or five week periods — Number

	Total production							Production for export					
			Gross vehicle weight			Motive units for articulated vehicles	Omnibuses, coaches, and trolley buses(2)		Gross vehicle weight			Motive units for articulated vehicles	Omnibuses, coaches and trolley buses(2)
	Weekly averages	Total	Not over 1½ tons	Over 1½ tons, not over 10 tons	Over 10 tons			Total	Not over 1½ tons	Over 1½ tons, not over 10 tons	Over 10 tons		
1964(3)	8,769	38,728	11,073	19,723	5,378	1,014	1,540	14,950	2,081	9,572	2,475	110	712
1965	8,754	37,935	10,256	20,045	5,175	961	1,498	14,520	1,789	9,466	2,434	124	707
1966	8,436	36,556	6,568	19,182	5,348	1,418	2,019	14,838	1,456	9,569	2,542	101	1,171
1967	7,406	32,092	8,587	14,978	5,742	1,266	1,519	11,618	1,109	6,708	2,874	105	822
1968	7,869	34,099	8,120	17,022	6,271	1,141	1,545	12,488	1,190	7,395	2,985	118	800
1969(3)	8,787	38,810	9,570	18,547	7,356	1,393	1,944	16,065	1,651	9,008	4,073	137	1,196
1967 April	8,162	32,649	7,659	15,617	6,335	1,279	1,759	12,514	922	6,960	3,472	89	1,071
May	7,846	31,385	8,003	14,898	6,095	1,142	1,256	11,405	1,025	6,518	3,135	72	655
*June	8,036	40,181	10,315	19,584	6,979	1,516	1,787	13,367	1,244	7,734	3,438	98	853
July	6,661	26,643	6,351	12,599	4,995	1,234	1,464	9,625	820	5,396	2,560	86	763
August	4,999	19,996	7,341	8,732	2,597	648	678	5,961	715	3,688	1,185	47	326
*September	7,338	36,691	12,230	15,984	5,785	1,231	1,461	11,733	1,234	6,904	2,758	99	738
October	8,547	34,188	11,201	14,561	5,734	1,183	1,509	11,003	1,305	6,079	2,678	123	818
November	7,983	31,931	9,100	14,346	5,714	1,113	1,658	11,081	1,304	6,026	2,799	103	849
*December	7,242	36,210	8,880	17,482	6,777	1,337	1,734	12,343	878	7,573	2,888	130	874
1968 January	6,985	27,939	5,572	14,466	5,506	1,091	1,304	9,254	465	5,721	2,397	84	586
February	7,918	31,672	6,628	16,601	5,780	1,129	1,534	11,731	952	7,228	2,695	111	745
*March	8,933	44,665	10,165	23,113	8,003	1,731	1,653	16,236	1,633	9,633	3,887	239	844
April	7,903	31,610	7,595	16,208	5,493	956	1,358	11,400	1,300	6,739	2,470	93	798
May	8,442	33,768	7,968	17,149	6,163	1,021	1,467	12,275	1,488	7,389	2,570	77	751
*June	7,817	39,087	9,657	19,179	6,958	1,296	1,997	14,036	1,482	8,149	3,110	105	1,190
July	6,309	25,235	5,533	12,438	5,028	928	1,308	8,948	849	4,853	2,539	62	645
August	5,336	21,343	5,408	10,636	3,798	667	834	8,108	594	5,079	1,884	63	488
*September	8,378	41,891	10,841	19,846	8,090	1,427	1,687	14,694	1,431	8,299	4,069	123	772
October	8,465	33,858	8,112	16,397	6,509	1,093	1,747	12,559	945	7,663	2,968	109	874
November	8,896	35,583	9,060	17,428	6,270	1,047	1,778	13,758	1,507	8,049	3,128	175	899
*December	8,507	42,535	10,896	20,849	7,613	1,307	1,870	16,856	1,639	9,938	4,097	180	1,002
1969 *January	9,829	49,146	11,268	24,760	9,331	1,583	2,204	19,668	1,499	11,517	5,359	176	1,117
February	9,680	38,720	8,857	19,061	7,517	1,216	2,069	16,370	1,296	9,103	4,761	126	1,084
March	8,145	32,579	8,775	15,102	6,190	1,075	1,437	13,046	1,201	7,358	3,446	132	909
*April	9,597	47,984	11,959	22,806	9,224	1,672	2,323	19,699	1,998	10,972	5,149	159	1,421
May	9,440	37,759	8,681	19,242	6,932	1,336	1,568	16,176	1,983	9,483	3,814	107	789
June	10,146	40,582	10,625	20,253	6,809	1,323	1,572	16,418	2,270	9,670	3,420	79	979
*July	7,406	37,032	8,880	17,496	7,153	1,460	2,043	15,496	1,446	8,409	3,978	140	1,523
August	7,016	28,063	6,535	13,448	5,603	1,154	1,323	11,895	1,078	6,739	3,040	82	956
September	8,332	33,326	7,869	15,484	6,766	1,389	1,818	13,581	1,227	7,493	3,607	147	1,107
*October	7,673	38,364	9,866	17,370	6,956	1,632	2,540	15,372	1,946	8,137	3,517	198	1,574
November	9,826	39,304	10,137	17,908	7,684	1,360	2,215	17,171	1,859	9,547	4,284	111	1,370
*December	8,572	42,861	11,392	19,637	8,102	1,520	2,210	17,886	2,014	9,674	4,497	184	1,517
1970 January	10,152	40,610	9,271	19,499	8,100	1,551	2,189	16,086	1,477	8,980	4,314	118	1,197
February													
March													

(1) Including chassis delivered as such by manufacturers. The value of deliveries of commercial vehicles is shown in Table 87.
(2) Complete and chassis.
(3) 53 week period. * Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Merchant shipbuilding(1): Tankers of 300 gross tons and over(2)

Orders on hand and completions

TABLE 89

	Orders on hand at end of period(3)								Completions(3)			
	Not yet laid down				Under construction				Total		Export(4)	
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)					
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1966...	10	118	3	112	14	272	2	105	19	401	3	108
1967...	10	651	—	—	10	241	4	171	18	155	4	104
1968...	22	1,385	9	561	15	268	4	92	13	239	4	165
1969...	30	1,473	6	474	24	679	5	181	13	48	5	11
1967 1st quarter ...	9	117	2	103	14	241	3	113	2	41	—	—
2nd quarter ...	5	8	2	4	15	350	6	281	6	5	—	—
3rd quarter ...	3	4	1	2	14	288	6	218	3	61	1	60
4th quarter ...	10	641	—	—	10	241	4	171	7	47	3	44
1968 1st quarter ...	11	667	2	4	13	259	3	169	3	4	1	2
2nd quarter ...	15	758	4	93	12	234	3	75	3	152	1	95
3rd quarter ...	21	885	8	187	12	309	3	153	3	20	1	8
4th quarter ...	22	1,285	9	561	15	268	4	92	4	63	1	60
1969 1st quarter ...	22	1,425	5	550	20	287	8	103	1	2	—	—
2nd quarter ...	21	1,277	6	553	25	599	8	103	2	2	—	—
3rd quarter ...	31	1,340	6	474	24	678	8	185	4	13	2	4
4th quarter ...	30	1,473	6	474	24	679	5	181	6	31	3	7

New orders and net new orders

	New orders(3)				Modifications and cancellations(5)				Net new orders(3)			
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)	
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1966...	11	70	1	9	− 1	− 72	− 1	− 72	10	− 2(6)	—	− 64(6)
1967...	14	658	2	4	—	—	—	—	14	658	2	4
1968...	31	915	13	653	− 1	—	—	—	30	915	13	653
1969...	30	650	3	13	—	—	—	—	30	650	3	13
1967 1st quarter ...	1	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—	—
2nd quarter ...	3	6	2	4	—	—	—	—	3	6	2	4
3rd quarter ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4th quarter ...	10	642	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	642	—	—
1968 1st quarter ...	7	47	2	4	—	—	—	—	7	47	2	4
2nd quarter ...	6	220	3	90	—	—	—	—	6	220	3	90
3rd quarter ...	10	221	5	180	− 1	—	—	—	9	221	5	180
4th quarter ...	8	427	3	378	—	—	—	—	8	427	3	378
1969 1st quarter ...	6	160	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	160	—	—
2nd quarter ...	6	168	1	3	—	—	—	—	6	168	1	3
3rd quarter ...	13	156	1	7	—	—	—	—	13	156	1	7
4th quarter ...	5	166	1	3	—	—	—	—	5	166	1	3

(1) Includes naval vessels registered as merchant ships.
(2) Gross tonnage (100 cubic feet per g.t.) is the total volume of all the enclosed spaces of a vessel.
(3) The total tonnage specified on ordering vessels differs slightly from the total actual measured tonnage on completion.
(4) Vessels are shown for export if they are for other than U.K. registration.
(5) Modifications include alterations of 500 gross tons or more to the tonnage and the country of registration of vessels already on order.
(6) Modifications and cancellations exceed new orders for the period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Merchant shipbuilding(1): Vessels of 100 gross tons and over(2)

Orders on hand and completions

TABLE 90

	Orders on hand at end of period(3)								Completions(3)			
	Not yet laid down				Under construction				Total		Export(4)	
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)					
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1966...	90	895	35	590	164	1,363	47	650	211	1,131	38	287
1967...	62	972	14	174	118	1,096	36	562	199	1,192	58	612
1968...	114	2,464	33	853	119	1,095	33	383	152	1,046	39	591
1969...	143	3,139	39	913	142	1,617	29	386	138	813	38	314
1967 1st quarter ...	89	841	33	568	156	1,319	47	660	43	229	10	85
2nd quarter ...	64	605	25	409	139	1,312	48	764	59	278	13	125
3rd quarter ...	68	473	20	231	129	1,209	42	687	51	392	20	220
4th quarter ...	62	972	14	174	118	1,096	36	562	46	293	15	181
1968 1st quarter ...	70	1,071	13	123	109	1,023	32	500	37	250	11	140
2nd quarter ...	91	1,417	24	348	116	1,152	35	453	33	243	7	120
3rd quarter ...	94	1,721	27	442	126	1,209	35	532	31	193	9	121
4th quarter ...	114	2,464	33	853	119	1,095	33	383	51	360	12	209
1969 1st quarter ...	130	3,098	29	855	123	1,083	36	378	29	192	8	67
2nd quarter ...	119	2,913	33	1,004	127	1,334	33	320	39	279	10	116
3rd quarter ...	134	2,853	32	835	124	1,577	34	438	37	170	9	66
4th quarter ...	143	3,139	39	913	142	1,617	29	386	33	172	11	65

New orders and net new orders

	New orders(3)				Modifications and cancellations(5)				Net new orders(3)			
	Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)		Total		Export(4)	
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Number	Thousand gross tons
1966...	150	482	35	167	− 5	−98	−1	−40	145	384	34	127
1967...	127	1,077	21	106	− 2	−42	−1	−38	125	1,035	20	68
1968...	207	2,565	55	1,112	− 2	1	−1	—	205	2,566	54	1,112
1969...												
1967 1st quarter ...	34	131	8	69	—	—	—	—	34	131	8	69
2nd quarter ...	18	49	4	22	− 1	− 5	—	—	17	44	4	22
3rd quarter ...	46	202	6	4	− 1	−32	−1	−32	45	170	5	− 27(6)
4th quarter ...	29	695	3	12	—	− 6	—	− 6	29	689	3	6
1968 1st quarter ...	36	281	6	31	—	2	—	—	36	283	6	31
2nd quarter ...	62	720	21	299	− 1	—	−1	—	61	719	20	299
3rd quarter ...	45	562	12	303	− 1	—	—	—	44	562	12	303
4th quarter ...	64	1,001	16	479	—	—	—	—	64	1,001	16	479
1969 1st quarter ...	49	820	7	69	—	—	—	—	49	820	7	69
2nd quarter ...	35	427	11	210	− 3	−89	—	—	32	338	11	210
3rd quarter ...	49	360	10	25	—	—	—	—	49	360	10	25
4th quarter ...	60	512	13	94	—	1	—	—	60	513	13	94

(1) Includes naval vessels registered as merchant ships.
(2) Gross tonnage (100 cubic feet per g.t.) is the total volume of all the enclosed spaces of a vessel.
(3) The total tonnage specified on ordering vessels differs slightly from total actual measured tonnage on completion.
(4) Vessels are shown for export if they are for other than U.K. registration.
(5) Modifications include alterations of 500 gross tons or more to the tonnage and the country of registration of vessels already on order.
(6) Modifications and cancellations exceed new orders for the period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

X. TEXTILES AND OTHER MANUFACTURES

Index numbers of textile and clothing industries

TABLE 91

	At average 1958 prices			At average 1963 prices					
	Textile and clothing industries(1)			Manufacturers' sales of made-up clothing (2)(3)					
	Orders on hand at end of period	Net new orders(3)	Deliveries (3)	Total	Men's and boys' tailored outerwear	Women's and girls' tailored outerwear	Weather-proof outerwear	Dresses, lingerie, infants' wear, etc.	Overalls and men's shirts, underwear, etc.
	April 1959 = 100	Average 1959 deliveries = 100		1963 = 100					
1966	105	92	97	109	112	99	97	113	114
1967	114	93	91	106	109	94	89	111	108
1968	129	99	96	107	108	94	95	113	111
1969	124	96	97	107	106	94	94	116	113
1969 January	130	94	91	96	90	104	81	109	84
February	133	110	103	118	113	110	96	131	120
March	133	103	102	116	115	106	93	129	125
April	135	101	95	104	108	80	84	118	107
May	137	102	99	102	108	64	89	113	107
June	135	101	105	106	100	84	105	115	113
July	133	80	86	104	101	97	94	111	103
August	128	74	89	102	93	103	94	110	103
September	124	91	102	120	112	125	115	126	120
October	125	107	104	118	112	111	105	127	131
November	128	113	105	114	120	85	101	115	140
December	124	78	87	90	101	60	76	91	106
1970 January	127	99	91						
February									
March									

(1) Wool, hosiery (and other knitted goods), made-up clothing and the spinning, weaving and merchant converting sections of the cotton and man-made fibre industries. (2) The index numbers for individual sectors relate to the total output of manufacturers whose main business is in that sector of the industry and not output of that particular type of garment. (3) These indices have been adjusted to allow for the differences in the lengths of calendar months but not for holidays or for other seasonal variations.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Wool

TABLE 92

Monthly averages or calendar months — Stocks: end of period — Million lb.(1)

	Raw wool					Other fibres (2)	Man-made fibre tops drawn	Wool tops	Woollen yarn	Worsted yarn (3)	Woven wool and mixture fabrics(1)			Blankets (1)
	Actual weight	Estimated clean weight									Total	Woollen	Worsted	
	Production		Home consumption	Exports and re-exports	Stocks (4)	Consumption		Production			Deliveries			
1966	10·3	7·2	32·3	5·0	189	16·34	5·28	19·15	26·2	18·41	25·19	14·03	11·16	2·54
1967	10·2	7·1	30·0	4·6	199	15·67	4·65	16·92	25·4	16·47	24·54	13·60	10·94	2·39
1968	9·4	6·7	32·6	4·9	220	16·05	5·59	17·75	27·1	18·05	24·56	13·53	11·02	2·73
1969	8·3	5·8	32·1	4·3	176	15·55	5·88	16·91	26·1	18·46	23·85	12·97	10·88	2·68
1969 January	4·4	3·3	38·1	4·8	185	18·43	6·66	19·62	32·0	19·96	26·95	14·56	12·39	3·17
February	3·5	2·7	33·6	4·1	182	15·74	5·80	17·36	27·5	19·08	22·79	11·55	11·24	2·51
March	3·7	2·7	33·7	4.0	190	15·94	5·98	18·35	26·7	18·92	23·08	11·76	11·32	2·21
April	3·1	2·3	33·9	5·0	189	16·17	5·69	17·23	28·6	18·61	23·28	12·62	10·66	3·20
May	3·4	2·5	31·8	5·5	192	15·38	5·54	17·23	25·7	19·18	24·43	13·97	10·46	4·74
June	7·9	5·4	34·9	4·5	189	16·82	5·73	18·29	28·7	19·44	25·36	14·25	11·11	2·25
July	18·8	12·8	30·5	3·5	209	13·54	5·58	17·85	22·1	17·06	24·29	13·66	10·63	1·27
August	19·0	12·8	23·0	3·0	221	11·87	4·61	10·61	20·5	14·05	18·88	11·01	7·87	1·89
Sept.	13·8	9·4	31·2	3·9	196	14·53	6·09	17·25	23·7	17·77	25·16	14·08	11·08	2·41
October	9·8	6·8	33·5	4·2	187	16·72	6·87	17·43	27·5	21·19	25·61	13·71	11·90	2·71
Nov.	7·9	5·5	30·5	4·7	181	15·68	5·96	16·03	25·3	18·34	24·15	12·89	11·26	2·34
Dec.	4·6	3·2	29·9	4·4	176	15·78	6·02	15·69	25·3	17·91	22·20	11·54	10·66	3·46
1970 January	3·8	2·7	31·8	4·5	177	16·29	6·43	17·49	25·8	17·81	22·53	12·01	10·52	2·84
February														
March														

(1) Fabrics in million square yards. From January 1967 the figures include non-wool fabrics woven in the wool textile industry. (2) All fibres (other than virgin wool) used in woollen spinning and felting, and hair used in the making of tops. (3) From January 1969 includes the small quantity of semi-worsted yarns which previously was divided between the woollen and worsted yarn headings. (4) Excluding stocks held by farmers. Annual figures are at 31 August.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Cotton

TABLE 93 — Weekly averages — Stocks: end of period

	Raw cotton			Yarn production									Woven cloth production	
				Single yarn(1)							Doubled yarn			
	Home consumption		Stocks	Total	Cotton (excluding waste yarns)				Cotton waste yarns	Spun man-made fibres and mixture yarns(2)	Cotton	Other	Cotton	Man-made fibre and mixtures(3)
	Total	Cotton spinning			Total	Up to 20's	21's to 56's	57's and over						
	Thousand tons			Million lb.									Mn. linear yards	
1966	4·02	3·90	46	11·38	7·08	4·49	2·34	0·24	1·69	2·62	2·37	2·12	17·6	11·9
1967	3·42	3·30	37	9·78	5·92	3·71	2·00	0·21	1·46	2·40	2·08	2·02	14·3	10·2
1968	3·38	3·25	51	10·12	5·85	3·70	1·97	0·17	1·41	2·86	2·12	2·20	14·1	10·7
1969 (4)... ...	3·26	3·14	39	9·96	5·52	3·50	1·85	0·17	1·40	3·05	1·95	2·53	13·7	11·1
1969*January ...	3·48	3·36	49	10·64	6·05	3·88	1·99	0·18	1·47	3·12	2·13	2·44	14·4	11·5
February...	3·52	3·40	48	10·64	6·04	3·84	2·02	0·18	1·49	3·11	2·15	2·54	14·7	11·8
March ...	3·58	3·46	44	10·75	6·16	3·97	2·02	0·17	1·54	3·05	2·13	2·70	14·8	12·1
*April ...	3·30	3·18	40	9·83	5·58	3·54	1·87	0·17	1·41	2·84	1·97	2·51	13·9	11·0
May ...	3·57	3·45	39	10·79	5·96	3·74	2·03	0·19	1·53	3·30	2·07	2·73	14·4	11·6
June ...	3·16	3·04	43	9·57	5·20	3·28	1·75	0·17	1·36	3·01	1·87	2·35	15·0	11·8
*July ...	2·54	2·42	48	7·72	4·33	2·75	1·45	0·13	1·01	2·26	1·58	2·13	9·3	8·2
August ...	3·29	3·17	48	10·32	5·58	3·52	1·90	0·16	1·47	3·27	1·83	2·64	14·3	11·1
September	2·81	2·69	51	8·73	4·77	2·99	1·64	0·14	1·23	2·73	1·77	2·40	12·2	10·4
*October ...	3·53	3·41	48	10·95	5·96	3·76	2·02	0·18	1·50	3·49	2·09	2·87	14·7	12·2
November	3·53	3·41	41	10·99	5·88	3·77	1·92	0·19	1·54	3·57	2·10	2·82	14·8	12·3
*December	2·94	2·82	39	9·11	4·87	3·09	1·62	0·16	1·29	2·95	1·73	2·32	12·3	10·0
1970 January ...	3·36	3.24	43	10·53	5·60	3·59	1·83	0·18	1·48	3·45	1·97	2·74	14·2	11·6
February ...														
March ...														

(1) Spun in the cotton industry. (2) Including other waste yarn. (3) Including synthetic fibres. Source: Ministry of Technology
(4) 53 week period. * Average of five weeks.

Man-made fibre, hard hemps and jute

TABLE 94

	Man-made fibre (Rayon, nylon, etc.)			Hard hemps(1)		Jute			
	Production			Consumption	Stocks	Raw jute	Jute yarn	Jute cloth(2)	Imported jute goods(4)
	Total	Continuous filament yarn (single)(2)	Staple fibre			Consumption	Production		
	Monthly averages or calendar months				End of period	Weekly averages			
	Million lb.			Thousand tons					
1966	73·47	34·28	39·18	5·82	10·77	2·32	2·33	1·38	0·88
1967	79·59	36·53	43·06	4·89	10·76	2·15	2·15	1·22	0·95
1968	99·05	44·41	54.64	4·48	8·62	2·10	2·11	1·13	1·04
1969	101·77	46·38	55·39	3·92	5·29	2·04	2·04	1·00	0·83
1969 January ...	107·58	50·55	57·04	4·86	7·47	2·03*	1·96*	0·97*	0·71
February ...	96·42	45·04	51·37	4·06	7·88	2·32	2·24	1·17	1·10
March ...	108·84	48·34	60·50	3·92	7·58	2·01	2·21	1·07	0·85
April	104·65	46·32	58·33	4·29	6·69	2·18*	2·05*	0·99*	0·95
May	109·88	49·85	60·03	4·24	6·75	2·29	2·40	1·15	0·70
June	102·25	46·39	55·86	4·02	6·31	2·34	2·33	1·07	1·16
July	92·49	42·99	49·49	3·40	5·63	1·69*	1·71*	0·79*	1·02
August ...	89·10	40·75	48·35	3·34	6·77	1·63	1·64	0·82	0·86
September ...	95·68	43·18	52·50	3·65	6·12	2·31	2·13	1·17	0·63
October ...	104·98	47·65	57·33	4·28	5·79	1·79*	1·94*	0·93*	0·56
November ...	105·67	49·20	56·47	3·81	5·21	2·03	2·03	0·98	0·45
December ...	103·67	46·29	57·38	3·21	5·29	1·98	1·98	0·94	0·96
1970 January ...	110·81	48·39	62·42	3·24	5·26	1·62*	1·59*	0·80*	0·75
February ...									
March									

(1) Sisal line and manila hemp only. (2) From July 1967 these figures are on 'actual weight' basis. (3) Estimated from consumption of yarn by jute cloth weavers. (4) Weekly averages are computed from figures for calendar months published in the *Trade Accounts* of total imports of jute fabrics and jute sacks and bags (5) 53 week period. Source: Ministry of Technology * Average of five weeks

Hosiery(1)

TABLE 95 — Monthly averages(2) — Millions

	Underwear, shirts and nightwear(3)(4)			Pullovers, jumpers, cardigans, etc.(3)		Children's and infants' outer wear (3) (5)	Socks and stockings (pairs)						
								Women's full-length stockings				Women's ankle socks and ¾ hose	Children's and infant's socks, ¾ hose and stockings
	Men's	Women's	Children's and infants'	Men's	Women's		Men's	Total	Circular knitted	Fully fashioned	Nylon (6)		
1965	5·77	7·49	4·93	1·48	4·58	2·07	8·07	35·11	30·36	4·75	34·89	0·59	5·62
1966	5·52	6·98	4·63	1·49	4·66	1·93	7·65	37·84	34·08	3·77	37·64	0·50	5·54
1967	4·89	6·74	3·84	1·42	4·45	1·69	7·14	38·06	35·69	2·37	37·93	0·39	5·26
1968	5·11	7·30	4·52	1·70	5·43	1·81	7·46	29·27	27·79	1·48	29·16	0·25	5·86
1967 1st quarter	4·26	5·92	3·62	1·15	4·39	1·58	6·06	30·93	28·67	2·26	30·82	0·69	5·56
2nd quarter	5·13	6·08	3·75	1·18	4·20	1·31	5·80	39·03	36·46	2·57	38·94	0·38	5·92
3rd quarter	4·74	7·02	4·08	1·46	4·20	1·92	7·06	39·04	36·87	2·16	38·89	0·35	5·02
4th quarter	5·42	7·93	3·93	1·88	5·00	1·93	9·62	43·24	40·75	2·49	43·08	0·16	4·55
1968 1st quarter	5·00	6·73	3·81	1·33	4·67	1·47	6·31	30·12	28·68	1·45	30·00	0·28	5·73
2nd quarter	4·98	7·72	4·75	1·50	4·75	1·52	6·26	30·05	28·52	1·53	29·96	0·28	7·17
3rd quarter	5·04	6·86	4·92	1·75	5·37	2·12	7·36	28·08	26·70	1·38	27·96	0·20	5·33
4th quarter	5·42	7·87	4·60	2·22	6·94	2·13	9·90	28·83	27·26	1·57	28·71	0·24	5·19
1969 1st quarter	4·56	6·30	4·26	1·84	4·99	1·77	6·82	17·70	16·96	0·73	17·61	0·25	6·00
2nd quarter	5·78	7·18	5·02	1·83	4·94	1·90	6·72	17·81	16·90	0·91	17·72	0·37	7·96
3rd quarter	4·60	6·80	4·65	1·82	4·47	2·41	7·31	13·62	12·84	0·79	13·50	0·38	5·66

(1) Manufacturers' sales by establishments employing 25 or more persons. (2) Before 1967 figures relate to years ending January of the following year and to quarters ending April, July, October and January. From 1967 figures relate to calendar quarters, i.e. ending March, June, September and December. (3) Including garments made-up from knitted fabrics of all types by establishments engaged in knitting, except those engaged solely in warp knitting and, from 1966, those engaged mainly in warp knitting. (4) From the first quarter of 1967 the figures do not include shirts. (5) Excluding infants' gloves, bootees, infantees, etc. (6) Included in the preceding columns.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Manufacturers' sales of footwear

TABLE 96 — Quarterly averages and quarterly totals — Million pairs

	Total	With leather uppers					With uppers other than of leather(1)	Slippers, etc.	Rubber protective footwear (2)	Plastic protective footwear	Safety footwear (all types) (3)
		Total	Men's, youths' and boys'	Women's, maids' and girls'	Infants'	Sports shoes					
1965	49·5	32·5	11·1	18·2	2·8	0·4	5·7	9·4	1·7	0·2	..
1966	48·5	30·3	10·3	16·9	2·7	0·4	6·0	9·6	1·4	0·5	0·6
1967	47·5	27·4	9·7	14·7	2·5	0·5	7·8	9·9	1·3	0·5	0·6
1968	50·2	28·3	10·8	14·4	2·5	0·6	9·2	10·2	1·3	0·6	0·6
1967 1st quarter	48·2	30·9	10·2	17·5	2·9	0·3	9·5	5·7	1·2	0·4	0·5
2nd quarter	45·3	27·2	9·5	14·7	2·4	0·6	9·3	7·1	0·9	0·3	0·5
3rd quarter	47·5	25·5	9·1	13·5	2·2	0·7	6·5	13·0	1·5	0·6	0·5
4th quarter	49·1	26·0	10·0	13·1	2·4	0·5	5·9	13·9	1·8	0·8	0·7
1968 1st quarter	50·7	32·0	11·7	17·0	2·9	0·4	11·3	5·4	1·2	0·3	0·7
2nd quarter	46·1	27·3	10·7	13·5	2·5	0·6	10·1	6·9	0·8	0·3	0·5
3rd quarter	51·1	26·6	9·9	13·5	2·3	0·8	7·8	13·6	1·6	1·0	0·5
4th quarter	53·0	27·3	10·7	13·7	2·3	0·5	7·6	14·7	1·6	1·0	0·7
1969 1st quarter	49·7	31·2	11·3	16·4	3·0	0·5	10·8	5·1	1·4	0·4	0·8
2nd quarter	45·5	25·9	10·3	12·7	2·3	0·7	10·7	6·8	1·0	0·4	0·7
3rd quarter	49·5	25·4	9·7	12·6	2·4	0·8	8·8	12·6	1·4	0·8	0·6

(1) Includes sports shoes with uppers of materials other than leather and single texture plimsolls and sand shoes. Source: Ministry of Technology
(2) Includes rubber safety boots in 1965.
(3) The components of the heading Safety footwear (i.e. with uppers of leather, rubber and other materials) were included in the totals against headings for the appropriate materials in 1965.

Softwood and pitwood

Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods

TABLE 97 — Stocks: end of period — Thousand standards(1)

	Softwood							Pitwood		
	Production	Deliveries			Stocks			Production		
		Total	Imported	Home grown	Total	Imported	Home grown	Total	Sawn	Round
1966	4·17	150·79	146·66	4·13	687·4	680·5	6·92	22·60	16·62	5·97
1967	4·28	159·85	155·59	4·26	623·4	615·6	7·84	22·00	16·62	5·39
1968	4·73	164·75	160·00	4·74	669·3	661·7	7·55	20·72	15·58	5·15
1969	5·02	151·50	146·37	5·13	594·4	588·2	6·23	20·76	15·65	5·16
1968 October ...	5·39		178·55		648·2	640·6	7·58	19·50	15·20	4·30
November ...	5·10	162·27	127·39	5·07	672·7	665·1	7·58	20·30	15·30	5·00
December ...	4·73		165·64		669·3	661·7	7·55	24·00*	18·00*	6·00*
1969 January ...	5·02		144·10		663·3	655·7	7·55	16·30	12·48	3·82
February ...	4·30	135·60	114·46	4·91	634·1	626·5	7·55	17·24	13·55	3·69
March ...	5·08		133·49		577·0	569·8	7·23	22·51*	17·36*	5·15*
April... ...	5·13		128·78		536·0	528·8	7·23	16·75	12·02	4·72
May... ...	5·38	146·28	144·63	5·30	499·2	492·0	7·23	20·69	14·89	5·80
June... ...	5·26		149·52		496·0	488·9	7·10	24·19*	17·28*	6·92*
July ...	4·17		161·96		522·8	515·7	7·10	18·80	14·09	4·71
August ...	4·52	163·37	156·86	4·86	576·6	569·5	7·10	16·30	12·40	3·90
September...	5·09		156·72		602·4	596·1	6·32	24·34*	18·68*	5·65*
October ...	5·66		184·28		611·0	604·7	6·32	23·00	17·00	6·00
November ...	5·42	160·78	133·84	5·46	601·7	595·3	6·32	23·00	18·00	5·50
December ...	5·22		147·83		594·4	588·2	6·23	26·00*	20·00*	6·00*
1970 January ...	4·28		109·03		596·2	589·9	6·23	15·00	12·00	3·00
February ...										
March ...										

(1) Softwood: standards of 165 cubic feet. Pitwood: Gothenburg standards of 180 piled cubic feet.
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Hardwood, plywood, wood chipboard and domestic furniture

TABLE 98

Monthly averages, calendar months or totals for four or five week periods
Stocks: end of period

	Hardwood			Plywood			Wood chipboard		Domestic furniture		
	Production	Deliveries	Stocks	Production	Deliveries	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Index of deliveries at 1963 prices	Total deliveries	Orders on hand at end of period
	Million cubic feet			Thousand cubic metres			Thousand tons		1963=100	£ million	
1966	1·10	4·61	17·86	3·1	71	128	13·5	31·3	114	13·1	12·0
1967	1·07	4·44	14·64	2·7	84	150	12·3	16·1	110	12·7	22·0
1968	1·08	4·63	14·72	2·6	90	170	15·0	19·8	123	15·1	20·1
1969	1·03	4·12	15·43	2·4	84	147	15·8	37·2	118	14·8	20·3
1969 January ...	1·12	4·32	14·83	3·1	97	169	13·7	20·9	108	14·3	19·8
February ...	0·95		15·22	2·2	74	170	14·2	23·9	121	14·0	20·4
March ...	1·07		15·55	2·4	82	170	18·3*	26·1	133	16·2	19·1
April... ...	1·03	4·02	16·12	2·3	80	173	14·0	27·4	103	13·1	18·4
May... ...	1·05		15·80	2·6	73	170	15·3	30·2	107	13·7	18·9
June... ...	1·08		16·01	2·4	89	161	19·5*	33·7	121	14·7	18·5
July	1·06	4·04	16·09	2·3	89	166	14·5	36·4	94	12·5	21·0
August ...	0·86		16·06	1·8	87	168	11·7	35·9	99	12·1	25·0
September ...	1·00		15·90	2·5	100	163	20·0*	38·2	129	16·6	24·4
October ...	1·15	4·09	15·67	2·9	88	164	16·4	37·8	137	18·5	25·4
November ...	1·02		15·75	2·2	71	147	16·6	37·5	144	16·9	25·0
December ...	0·94		15·43	2·3	78	147	15·9*	37·2	114	15·4	20·3
1970 January ...	0·99		15·40	2·2	140	154	13·3	36·2	102	13·3	21·1
February ...											
March ...											

* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Paper and board

TABLE 99

Weekly averages Stocks: end of period

Thousand tons

	Newsprint				Building board and other paper and board				
					Production				
	Production	Home consumption	Exports	Stocks	Building board	Other paper and board	Home deliveries	Exports	Stocks
1966	14·17	26·9	—	135	1·11	71·8	97·2	2·1	231·8
1967	13·52	26·1	—	117	0·69	70·4	101·5	2·0	239·7
1968	13·92	27·3	—	93	0·70	74·5	106·8	2·6	230·6
1969	14·96	28·0	—	102	0·73	78·5	110·1	3·2	241·9
1969 January ...	14·98	27·0	—	102	0·85	79·0	113·5	3·0	231·2
February ...	15·24	27·7	—	92	0·69	81·2	109·3	2·9	240·0
March ...	15·18*	30·5*	—	89	0·73*	81·6*	109·4*	2·9*	238·9
April	16·53	28·6	0·1	93	0·76	76·3	111·7	3·2	239·9
May	15·75	30·0	—	88	0·82	82·5	115·6	2·8	234·2
June	16·52*	27·9*	—	95	0·82*	81·9*	109·7*	3·2*	238·9
July	13·41	26·3	—	98	0·57	68·5	112·2	3·2	221·1
August... ...	11·49	24·1	—	99	0·56	64·0	93·8	3·1	225·9
September ...	14·21*	27·1*	—	97	0·77*	79·8*	108·6*	2·9*	233·8
October ...	15·52	30·5	—	98	0·82	84·2	121·5	3·5	242·6
November ...	16·52	30·0	0·1	93	0·79	83·2	111·1	3·8	229·7
December ...	14·07*	26·1*	0·1	102	0·59*	77·3*	105·7*	3·5*	241·9
1970 January ...	15·03	27·3	—	109	0·67	80·2	120·0	3·5	250·0
February ...									
March ...									

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Paper-making materials and woodpulp

TABLE 100 — Weekly averages — Thousand tons

	Paper-making materials other than woodpulp								Woodpulp	
	Total paper equivalent	Pulpwood		Esparto	Other vegetable fibres including straw	Rags, waste ropes, etc.	Waste paper		For paper-making[3]	Industrial[4]
		Imported[1]	Other[2]				Special grades	Other		
Consumption										
1966	32·66	1·47	10·16	1·93	0·21	1·81	10·4	19·8	48·10	5·89
1967	33·69	1·74	12·67	1·34	0·17	1·64	10·5	19·7	46·98	6·02
1968	36·08	1·55	12·26	1·07	0·19	1·52	12·4	21·5	47·86	6·61
1969	38·91	1·94	15·75	0·84	0·24	1·34	13·6	21·6	49·97	6·66
1968 October	40·48	1·54	14·20	1·01	0·22	1·63	14·4	24·0	49·76	6·73
November	39·91	1·48	15·45	0·98	0·22	1·64	13·9	23·5	50·12	6·71
*December	34·59	1·83	12·48	1·07	0·19	1·48	11·8	19·6	45·38	6·66
1969 January	42·65	1·47	20·22	0·88	0·23	1·53	14·1	24·6	50·61	6·97
February	41·08	1·69	14·49	1·04	0·21	1·45	15·2	23·7	52·42	7·07
*March	40·00	1·56	15·37	0·92	0·21	1·42	13·8	23·7	51·64	7·15
April	41·48	3·39	14·47	0·91	0·21	1·25	13·4	22·5	53·67	6·52
May	39·88	2·01	16·62	0·93	0·21	1·46	12·8	22·9	52·28	6·94
*June	36·90	1·98	12·85	0·96	0·18	1·25	13·4	20·6	49·50	6·75
July	31·57	1·08	15·31	0·80	0·26	1·13	10·8	17·6	41·13	5·38
August	33·02	2·10	16·03	0·42	0·19	0·96	11·6	16·3	41·77	5·58
*September	39·44	1·53	18·29	0·90	0·29	1·44	13·5	22·0	49·86	6·63
October	40·85	1·86	17·12	0·77	0·28	1·47	15·6	21·5	54·33	6·82
November	42·08	2·83	14.35	0·68	0·32	1·46	15·4	22·4	53·61	7·01
*December	38·20	2·04	14·40	0·81	0·30	1·22	13·5	21·3	46·88	6·93
1970 January										6·99
Stocks at end of period										
1965	226·7	42·8	27·0	14·2	2·2	24·6	60·3	85·1	362·4	55·7
1966	289·8	47·4	145·4	7·6	5·4	18·4	50·8	114·3	372·9	38·4
1967	237·1	34·4	101·2	7·1	6·0	15·1	40·7	111·4	294·2	43·7
1968 October	203·3	45·3	76·5	7·6	3·4	14·9	42·5	55·5	324·9	47·8
November	202·6	45·0	86·0	4·9	3·3	14·9	43·0	52·0	312·9	47·7
December	194·6	43·4	82·1	5·7	3·5	14·9	41·9	47·8	338·7	42·9
1969 January	182·7	37·2	77·5	3·8	4·0	14·5	50·1	42·1	343·7	46·7
February	160·9	33·1	67·1	5·9	4·2	13·7	44·8	33·5	342·1	50·3
March	152·5	32·4	69·2	4·6	4·5	11·8	40·0	30·7	315·7	46·4
April	152·7	28·8	73·4	7·8	4·3	11·7	42·0	33·6	293·1	40·9
May	150·4	25·3	79·8	7·2	3·7	11·2	45·5	33·0	314·6	37·8
June	158·7	26·1	103·0	8·9	3·9	11·5	45·1	29·9	297·0	41·3
July	171·0	24·6	100·6	6·8	4·4	12·5	53·9	41·1	287·8	48·8
August	190·2	25·5	99·4	5·5	4·8	14·0	58·8	57·7	296·9	49·9
September	186·1	24·6	101·9	7·7	5·1	13·4	57·5	54·0	294·1	52·3
October	194·0	25·9	105·6	6·1	5·3	12·2	63·0	55·6	304·1	53·6
November	192·4	24·3	116·0	4·2	5·5	12·5	61·3	54·6	280·4	52·8
December	188·4	19·1	137·8	3·7	5 5	12·0	57·7	55·5	285·6	45·8
1970 January										43·0

(1) Measured in thousand piled cubic fathoms. 1 piled cubic fathom = 1·8 tons (air dry weight).
(2) Including home-grown pulpwood, wood waste, chippings and rejected pitprops.
(3) Including woodpulp for cellulose wadding.
(4) For the manufacture of rayon and transparent cellulose film.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Rubber and carbon black

TABLE 101 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Stocks: end of period — Thousand tons

	Rubber										Carbon black
	Production		Consumption					Stocks			
			Natural		Synthetic						
	Synthetic	Reclaimed	Tyres and tyre products	All other (1)	Tyres and tyre products	All other (1)	Reclaimed (1)	Natural	Synthetic (2)	Reclaimed	Production
1965	14·3	3·4	7·3	7·4	8·6	5·6	2·7	25·4	29·1	4·7	13·1
1966	15·9	2·9	7·3	7·1	9·1	5·9	2·5	25·7	24·8	3·7	13·6
1967	16·7	2·7	7·0	6·9	9·3	6·3	2·3	23·7	33·3	3·5	13·4
1968	19·4	2·9	7·7	7·5	10·7	7·2	2·3	22·9	37·5	3·0	15·1
1968 July	18·6	2·6	6·9	7·0	9·4	6·6	1·9	23·6	42·3	4·4	15·1
August	18·0	1·6	6·2	6·1	8·1	5·7	1·9	27·7	44·7	4·1	12·5
September	19·4	2·9	7·4	8·0	9·9	7·7	1·9	22·8	45·5	3·2	15·5
October	18·3	3·0	9·3	8·1	12·4	8·3	2·5	22·7	40·6	3·2	16·1
November	18·3	2·9	8·3	7·9	11·8	8·1	2·5	22·6	36·3	3·1	15·0
December	23·7	2·7	7·2	7·0	11·0	7·0	2·1	22·9	37·5	3·0	16·2
1969 January	20·7	3·0	8·1	7·7	11·5	7·6	2·4	22·9	39·1	3·2	16·2
February	20·5	2·6	7·7	7·2	11·5	7·4	2·2	25·1	38·9	3·3	15·5
March	22·8	3·2	8·2	7·4	12·1	7·6	2·3	26·4	41·1	3·1	17·9
April	21·3	2·5	8·0	7·2	11·8	8·0	2·3	22·9	41·0	2·9	16·8
May	23·8	3·0	8·5	7·4	12·7	8·8	2·4	26·2	39·8	2·7	16·2
June	21·5	2·8	7·3	7·4	10·9	8·2	1·9	26·7	38·3	2·5	16·5
July	22·4	3·1	7·2	6·7	10·7	9·0	1·7	24·9	42·7	3·0	16·0
August	22·1	1·6	6·2	5·7	8·2	7·2	1·6	27·0	47·8	2·7	14·5
September	25·1	3·1	7·0	7·6	10·5	9·0	1·8	27·8	51·7	3·0	13·4
October	22·7	3·3	8·9	7·8	12·5	9·7	2·2	27·6	51·0	3·2	17·5
November	22·2	2·6	7·9	7·3	11·0	9·0	1·9	25·8	54·1	3·7	17·8
December											16·6

(1) Figures relate to data actually collected. It is known that figures of consumption are incomplete and the following estimated 'deficit allowances' should be added each month to give an indication of total consumption (thousand tons): natural 0·8; synthetic 1·3; reclaimed 0·2.

(2) Stocks held by United Kingdom producers and larger consumers.

Source: Board of Trade

Manufacturers' sales of domestic pottery and brushes

TABLE 102 — Quarterly averages or totals for quarters — £ thousand

	Pottery						Brushes and brooms (1)			
	Earthenware		China		Stoneware and Jet and Rockingham					
	Total	For home market	Total	For home market	Total	For home market	Decorating	Toilet	Household	Other
1966	6,790·6	4,354·9	3,490·6	1,610·5	681·1	496·8	1,600	1,117	1,141	1,453
1967	6,867·5	4,465·2	3,611·5	1,651·5	738·2	510·9	1,610	1,052	1 065	1,458
1968	7,295·6	4,572·5	3,966·0	1,834·2	870·9	586·6	1,702	1,042	1,168	1,519
1969	8,179·9	4,729·5	4,667·3	2,016·9	967·9	581·6				
1967 1st quarter	7,005·8	4,460·7	3,651·2	1,592·6	676·8	445·8	1,616	1,138	1,129	1,476
2nd quarter	6,967·8	4,465·9	3,568·7	1,534·9	761·6	511·5	1,684	1,082	1,077	1,578
3rd quarter	6,551·1	4,177·2	3,336·5	1,515·7	664·2	471·0	1,533	1,009	1,019	1,391
4th quarter	6,945·3	4,756·8	3,889·4	1,962·9	850·0	615·3	1,605	980	1,035	1,386
1968 1st quarter	7,204·0	4,564·9	3,925·7	1,728·5	816·1	527·5	1,718	1,067	1,243	1,551
2nd quarter	6,703·6	4,265·8	3,617·2	1,670·6	851·1	602·7	1,758	1,041	1,228	1,524
3rd quarter	7,531·8	4,567·4	4,046·2	1,768·4	865·5	551·4	1,679	953	1,094	1,479
4th quarter	7,742·9	4,892·0	4,274·8	2,169·3	950·7	664·9	1,653	1,108	1,107	1,521
1969 1st quarter	7,752·3	4,430·2	4,303·1	1,791·6	852·6	551·0	1,723	1,160	1,233	1,568
2nd quarter	7,994·8	4,592·5	4,561·4	1,951·4	891·0	507·4	1,886	1,188	1,193	1,608
3rd quarter	8,206·7	4,690·1	4,682·4	1,954·8	960·2	543·7	1,596	1,102	1,116	1,476
4th quarter	8,765·9	5,205·2	5,122·3	2,369·6	1,167·1	724·2				

(1) Sales by firms employing 6 or more operatives.

Source: Ministry of Technology

Manufacturers' sales of floorcoverings

Carpets and rugs

TABLE 103 — Quarterly averages or totals for quarters(1) — Thousand square yards

	All types		Woven carpets				Tufted carpets		Coir matting	
			Faced with wool		Faced with man-made fibres					
	Total	of which for export	Total	of which for export	Total	of which for export	Total	of which for export	Total	Imports(2)
1965	27,726	1,934	9,669	1,043	4,644	330	9,635	390	39	2,971
1966	28,168	2,217	9,439	1,003	4,528	384	10,750	665	23	1,826
1967	30,014	2,385	8,522	970	5,107	368	13,167	901	28	1,410
1968	34,047	3,822	9,651	1,474	5,573	541	14,887	1,453	15	2,057
1967 1st quarter	26,496	2,204	8,177	966	4,543	345	10,736	743	19	1,908
2nd quarter	29,994	2,314	8,426	901	4,982	367	13,285	878	51	1,349
3rd quarter	27,858	2,192	7,404	892	4,731	334	12,732	836	31	1,329
4th quarter	35,707	2,829	10,079	1,121	6,173	426	15,914	1,150	14	1,054
1968 1st quarter	34,929	3,237	10,113	1,189	5,985	485	15,398	1,336	18	2,223
2nd quarter	32,712	3,564	9,655	1,579	5,278	475	14,554	1,306	14	1,607
3rd quarter	31,738	3,927	8,274	1,379	4,839	538	13,917	1,340	17	2,251
4th quarter	36,811	4,560	10,563	1,748	6,190	666	15,678	1,829	12	2,146
1969 1st quarter	33,727	4,434	8,993	1,572	4,948	586	14,554	911	17	1,827
2nd quarter	36,160	4,858	9,227	1,549	5,331	606	15,904	2,343	19	1,149
3rd quarter	33,269	4,747	8,351	1,652	5,128	638	14,382	2,091	14	1,639

(1) Before 1967 figures relate to years ending November and to quarters ending February, May, August and November. From 1967 figures relate to calendar quarters, i.e. ending March, June, September and December. (2) Hundredweights.

Linoleum, vinyl and other synthetic materials

Quarterly averages or totals for quarters — Thousand square yards

	Printed felt base		Linoleum in sheet and tile form(1)		Rigid and semi-rigid tiles(2)		Calendered vinyl floorings in sheet and tile form(3)		Spread vinyl floorings(4)		Other(5)	
	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export	Total sales	For export
1965	14,220	3,869	6,229	2,051	6,755	456	7,192	1,275	741	291	1,745	1,133
1966	11,903	3,480	4,998	1,515	6,510	420	8,344	1,499	570	206	1,477	621
1967	10,681	2,921	4,030	997	6,908	406	8,330	1,290	658	164	1,670	593
1968	9,761	3,172	3,344	713	7,230	478	7,979	1,131	732	168	225	33
1969	8,180	2,847	2,640	581	6,905	506	7,191	1,111	838	161	181	33
1967 1st quarter	9,394	2,514	4,192	1,152	6,158	343	7,535	1,250	593	175	1,482	595
2nd quarter	11,170	2,961	4,356	1,038	7,265	499	8,672	1,396	711	191	1,667	516
3rd quarter	10,762	2,836	3,627	903	6,877	402	8,807	1,281	677	124	1,959	867
4th quarter	11,396	3,371	3,943	894	7,331	378	8,307	1,234	697	183	1,525	378
1968 1st quarter	11,174	4,537	3,854	799	6,829	527	7,870	1,261	640	147	181	27
2nd quarter	10,260	2,528	3,451	726	7,511	486	7,603	835	675	174	243	31
3rd quarter	8,293	2,487	3,043	635	7,451	424	8,565	1,312	769	169	267	52
4th quarter	9,315	3,135	3,028	692	7,129	473	7,876	1,118	845	181	209	20
1969 1st quarter	7,084	2,209	2,799	591	6,434	433	7,404	1,108	824	159	189	33
2nd quarter	8,067	2,885	2,697	664	7,009	528	7,437	1,105	837	154	208	48
3rd quarter	8,002	2,707	2,501	467	7,018	512	7,218	1,157	792	156	175	31
4th quarter	9,565	3,586	2,562	603	7,160	552	6,705	1,074	900	174	150	18

(1) Figures relate to linoleum on a base of paper or paperboard and printed and inlaid linoleum on a textile base only and from the beginning of 1966 include plain linoleum. (2) In 1965 relating to thermoplastic tiles based on coumarone-indene resins, vinyl asbestos tiles and other semi-rigid tiles based on vinyl compounds; from 1966 relating to thermoplastic tiles conforming to B.S.S. 2592 and vinyl asbestos tiles conforming to B.S.S. 3260. (3) In 1965 relating to flexible vinyl floorings, printed and inlaid. (4) In 1965 relating to vinyl on a textile base. (5) Excluding carpets, matting and underlays and rubber or cork floorings.

Source: Ministry of Technology

XI. CONSTRUCTION
Industrial building in Great Britain(1)

TABLE 104

New Standard Regions

Area approved during period(2)

Million square feet

	Great Britain	North (3)	Yorkshire and Humberside	East Midlands	East Anglia	South East	South West (3)	Wales (3)	West Midlands	North West (3)	Scotland (3)	Development areas: million sq. ft.	Development areas: Percentage of G.B.
Old basis(4)													
1965	61·7	6·2	6·2	3·4	1·8	11·2	3·1	4·5	5·0	9·2	11·0	24·6	..
1966	68·8	8·2	6·4	4·4	3·8	10·8	3·6	9·3	5·1	9·0	8·2	28·6	..
1967	59·7	7·5	4·6	3·9	2·1	11·1	3·3	5·7	4·0	7·5	10·1	26·5	..
1968	78·9	11·9	5·8	4·2	2·8	11·1	3·9	8·8	6·6	11·9	11·8	35·7	..
1969	80·6	9·9	10·7	4·1	4·1	13·9	4·2	8·3	5·9	10·6	9·1	30·5	
1968 1st quarter ...	18·0	2·6	1·5	1·0	1·0	2·0	0·8	1·7	1·0	2·6	3·8	8·4	..
2nd quarter ...	19·5	3·4	1·9	0·8	0·5	3·3	1·3	1·3	2·1	2·5	2·4	7·9	..
3rd quarter ...	22·3	4·4	1·3	1·0	0·7	3·2	0·9	3·0	1·7	3·3	2·8	11·8	..
4th quarter ...	19·1	1·6	1·2	1·3	0·7	2·6	0·8	2·8	1·9	3·5	2·7	7·7	..
1969 1st quarter ...	22·5	2·6	2·3	1·3	1·4	4·0	1·3	2·4	1·6	3·0	2·5	8·7	..
2nd quarter ...	20·5	3·8	1·2	0·9	0·9	3·6	1·1	2·1	1·7	3·1	2·0	8·9	..
3rd quarter ...	18·1	1·9	2·2	1·0	0·9	3·4	0·9	2·2	1·3	2·1	2·1	6·5	..
4th quarter ...	19·5	1·5	4·9	0·9	0·8	2·9	0·8	1·6	1·3	2·3	2·4	6·5	
New basis (4)													
1967	87·2	7·5	8·7	6·4	3·6	20·6	6·3	5·7	7·1	11·3	10·1	28·9	33
1968	110·3	11·9	9·0	7·3	4·8	21·0	6·3	8·8	11·6	17·8	11·8	37·9	34
1969	115·9	9·9	15·4	6·7	6·3	26·3	6·8	8·3	10·4	16·8	9·1	33·0	28
1968 1st quarter ...	24·6	2·6	2·0	1·8	1·6	4·0	1·4	1·7	1·8	3·8	3·8	8·9	36
2nd quarter ...	27·1	3·4	3·0	1·4	0·9	5·3	2·0	1·3	3·9	3·6	2·4	8·2	30
3rd quarter ...	31·1	4·4	2·2	1·6	1·3	6·4	1·5	3·0	2·8	5·1	2·8	12·6	40
4th quarter ...	27·5	1·6	1·9	2·5	1·0	5·3	1·3	2·8	3·1	5·3	2·7	8·2	30
1969 1st quarter ...	33·3	2·6	3·6	2·2	2·0	8·2	2·3	2·4	2·7	4·6	2·5	9·5	29
2nd quarter ...	29·9	3·8	2·1	1·7	1·7	6·9	1·7	2·1	2·8	5·1	2·0	9·9	33
3rd quarter ...	25·8	1·9	3·6	1·4	1·3	5·8	1·5	2·2	2·6	3·3	2·1	6·8	26
4th quarter ...	26·9	1·5	6·0	1·3	1·3	5·3	1·3	1·6	2·3	3·8	2·4	6·9	26

Area completed during period(5)

Million square feet

	Great Britain	North (3)	Yorkshire and Humberside	East Midlands	East Anglia	South East	South West (3)	Wales (3)	West Midlands	North West (3)	Scotland (3)	Development areas
1965	38·2	4·3	3·2	2·1	1·1	8·0	2·3	1·4	4·0	7·5	4·3	14·3
1966	37·3	4·6	3·3	2·4	1·4	5·4	2·0	2·0	4·2	5·6	6·3	13·8
1967	34·6	3·8	4·1	2·7	1·5	5·8	1·8	2·1	2·8	4·1	6·0	13·6
1968	38·7	3·9	4·5	2·9	1·4	6·2	3·0	2·6	4·0	6·0	4·1	13·4
1967 1st quarter ...	9·0	1·5	0·7	0·5	0·2	1·5	0·5	0·5	1·0	1·0	1·7	4·1
2nd quarter ...	8·8	0·9	0·7	0·8	0·5	1·9	0·3	0·5	0·7	0·9	1·6	3·3
3rd quarter ...	7·8	0·6	1·1	0·9	0·4	1·1	0·4	0·5	0·4	1·3	0·9	2·6
4th quarter ...	9·0	0·8	1·5	0·5	0·3	1·3	0·6	0·6	0·7	0·9	1·8	3·6
1968 1st quarter ...	9·5	1·1	0·8	0·8	0·3	1·3	1·1	0·7	0·7	1·5	1·1	3·7
2nd quarter ...	9·0	0·5	1·0	0·7	0·3	1·2	0·5	0·6	1·1	1·8	1·2	3·3
3rd quarter ...	9·7	1·1	1·1	0·8	0·4	1·7	0·8	0·4	1·2	1·4	0·9	2·8
4th quarter ...	10·5	1·2	1·6	0·6	0·4	2·0	0·5	0·8	1·1	1·4	1·0	3·5
1969 1st quarter ...	8·7	1·1	0·8	0·7	0·5	1·5	0·4	1·2	0·4	1·0	1·1	3·6
2nd quarter ...	12·3	1·5	1·3	0·8	1·2	1·9	0·9	1·0	0·8	0·9	2·3	5·3

(1) The figures relate to schemes mainly over 5,000 sq. ft. (2) For all projects (new buildings, extensions to existing premises and buildings converted to industrial use) for which industrial development certificates were issued. (3) These regions take in the places designated as Development areas under the Industrial Development Act, 1966: the aggregate figures for the Development areas are shown separately. (4) The area of industrial building has, since the introduction of the Industrial Development Act in August 1966, been extended to include all ancillary space for storage, canteens, etc. Prior to that date ancillary space was not counted, except in Scotland, Wales and the Northern region; the figures since that date on the old basis of measurement are estimates of the area which would have been approved under the pre-August 1966 definition. (5) For manufacturing industry only (new buildings and extensions to existing premises).

Source: Ministry of Technology

Constructional work: Value and volume of output(1)

Great Britain

TABLE 105 — £ million

	Value of output											Volume of output (new work only)	
		By contractors										1963=100	
	Total by all agencies	Total new work	New housing			Other new work					Public sector: output by direct labour (2)	Actual	Seasonally adjusted
			Total	For public sector	For private sector	Total	For public sector	For private sector		Repair and maintenance			
								Total	Industrial	Non-industrial			
1964	3,614	2,467	995	424	571	1,472	708	764	383	381	625	522	117
1965	3,851	2,631	1,051	466	585	1,580	739	841	433	408	671	549	121
1966	4,039	2,734	1,064	511	553	1,670	801	869	466	403	716	589	121
1967	4,307	2,906	1,172	586	586	1,734	902	832	425	407	748	653	127
1968	4,569	3,090	1,256	633	623	1,834	984	850	441	409	791	688	132
1969	4,703	3,169	1,179	627	552	1,190	1,054	936	507	429	829	704	128
1967 1st quarter	1,008	667	270	137	133	397	196	201	106	95	179	162	120	124
2nd quarter	1,084	737	297	149	148	440	225	215	111	104	186	161	129	126
3rd quarter	1,113	757	304	148	156	453	243	210	103	107	190	166	131	129
4th quarter	1,102	745	301	152	149	444	238	206	105	101	193	164	128	128
1968 1st quarter	1,080	723	298	147	151	425	225	200	104	96	191	166	125	130
2nd quarter	1,150	785	324	160	164	461	251	210	108	102	193	172	135	133
3rd quarter	1,170	795	318	163	155	477	260	217	113	104	201	174	134	131
4th quarter	1,169	787	316	163	153	471	248	223	116	107	206	176	132	132
1969 1st quarter	1,098	730	288	150	138	442	223	219	116	103	194	173	122	127
2nd quarter	1,183	798	307	160	147	491	256	235	128	107	210	175	129	129
3rd quarter	1,214	826	295	157	138	531	288	243	133	110	211	177	128	128
4th quarter	1,208	814	289	160	129	525	286	239	130	109	215	179	127	127

(1) Figures for labour employed by contractors are shown in Table 20.
(2) Output of operatives employed directly by government departments, local authorities and public utilities (British Railways, Central Electricity Generating Board, etc.).

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Constructional work: New orders

Great Britain

TABLE 106 — **Value of new orders obtained by contractors for new work** — £ million

	Total	New housing			Other new work					Work not covered by orders (1)
		Total	From public sector	From private sector	Total	From public sector	From private sector			
							Total	Industrial	Non-industrial	
1964	2,993	1,204	465	739	1,789	927	862	406	456	448
1965	2,912	1,203	510	693	1,709	894	815	431	384	436
1966	2,878	1,154	564	590	1,724	939	785	427	358	394
1967	3,394	1,421	709	712	1,973	1,227	746	447	299	492
1968	3,221	1,258	636	622	1,963	1,137	826	484	342	405
1969	3,184	1,087	529	558	2,096	1,164	932	552	380	369
1967 1st quarter	968	425	206	219	543	316	227	123	104	143
2nd quarter	856	371	175	196	485	310	175	107	68	140
3rd quarter	773	300	146	154	473	288	185	119	66	110
4th quarter	797	325	182	143	472	313	159	98	61	99
1968 1st quarter	860	367	211	156	493	299	194	113	81	107
2nd quarter	815	322	146	176	493	286	207	132	75	105
3rd quarter	757	290	142	148	467	255	212	114	98	99
4th quarter	789	279	137	142	510	297	213	125	88	94
1969 1st quarter	813	288	147	141	525	306	219	133	86	88
2nd quarter	806	260	96	164	546	285	261	165	96	110
3rd quarter	759	264	127	137	495	257	238	134	104	91
4th quarter	806	275	159	116	530	317	213	119	94	80

See footnotes on page 89.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Constructional work: New orders

Great Britain

TABLE 106 (*continued*)

New orders obtained by contractors from public sector £ million

	New housing	Other new work											
		Total	Public authorities										Public corporations(3)
			Total	Education		Health	Offices, factories etc.(2)	Roads	Harbours	Water	Sewerage	Miscellaneous	
				Schools	Universities								
1966	564	939	757	140	56	118	60	162	22	26	74	99	182
1967	709	1,227	1,012	194	37	101	84	242	50	40	114	150	215
1968	636	1,137	1,004	182	31	140	84	280	17	48	86	136	133
1969	529	1,164	1,050	175	35	112	94	338	29	44	92	131	114
1967 1st quarter ...	206	316	250	65	11	15	18	59	12	10	23	37	66
2nd quarter ...	175	310	260	53	11	24	23	57	15	8	22	47	50
3rd quarter ...	146	288	247	43	8	30	18	52	21	10	31	34	41
4th quarter ...	182	313	255	33	7	32	25	74	2	12	38	32	58
1968 1st quarter ...	211	299	271	68	7	63	25	37	6	10	20	35	28
2nd quarter ...	146	286	244	55	9	26	13	60	4	15	24	38	42
3rd quarter ...	142	255	225	26	7	19	22	74	3	16	26	32	30
4th quarter ...	137	297	264	33	8	32	24	109	4	7	16	31	33
1969 1st quarter ...	147	306	285	62	9	20	20	94	10	12	21	37	21
2nd quarter ...	96	285	251	48	8	13	25	81	6	8	26	36	34
3rd quarter ...	127	257	225	37	10	24	21	67	6	14	22	24	32
4th quarter ...	159	317	290	28	8	55	28	96	7	10	24	34	27

New orders obtained by contractors from private sector £ million

	New housing	Other new work							
		Industrial	Non-industrial						
			Total	Offices	Shops	Entertainment	Garages	Schools and colleges	Miscellaneous
1966	590	427	358	85	84	63	29	14	83
1967	712	447	299	80	77	63	20	5	54
1968	622	484	342	82	95	80	17	4	64
1969	558	552	380	107	106	70	23	4	70
1967 1st quarter	219	123	104	28	31	22	7	1	15
2nd quarter	196	107	68	19	16	12	6	2	13
3rd quarter	154	119	66	15	19	15	3	2	12
4th quarter	143	98	61	18	11	14	4	—	14
1968 1st quarter	156	113	81	18	27	20	3	1	12
2nd quarter	176	132	75	16	17	20	5	1	16
3rd quarter	148	114	98	25	30	18	5	1	19
4th quarter	142	125	88	23	21	22	4	1	17
1969 1st quarter	141	133	86	19	29	16	4	1	17
2nd quarter	164	165	96	25	26	18	7	1	19
3rd quarter	137	134	104	31	29	19	6	1	18
4th quarter	116	119	94	32	22	17	6	1	16

(1) These figures relate to work included in the preceding columns which is to be done without a firm order.
(2) Including garages and shops.
(3) Including gas, electricity, coal-mining, railways and air transport.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

Permanent house building: Summary of progress

TABLE 107

Number of houses and flats

	Construction begun				Under construction (end of period)				Completions			
	All houses	For local housing authorities(1)	For private owners	For other authorities(2)	All houses	For local housing authorities(1)	For private owners	For other authorities(2)	All houses	For local housing authorities(1)	For private owners	For other authorities(2)
United Kingdom												
1966	389,863	182,956	197,241	9,666	450,188	240,899	193,112	16,177	396,009	176,871	208,647	10,491
1967	460,329	210,456	237,867	12,006	490,439	246,983	226,771	16,685	415,455	199,749	204,208	11,498
1968	405,945	189,329	204,768	11,848	468,667	248,328	205,471	14,868	425,835	187,984	226,068	11,783
1969	357,088	173,377	171,463	12,248	447,431	240,747	191,018	15,666	378,325	180,958	185,917	11,450
1968 1st quarter	93,093	39,348	51,492	2,253	480,719	242,474	224,467	13,778	100,931	44,857	53,796	2,278
2nd quarter	119,330	59,730	56,829	2,771	495,820	255,589	225,605	14,626	104,229	45,615	55,691	2,923
3rd quarter	102,705	49,573	50,695	2,437	493,698	259,999	219,069	14,630	104,827	45,163	57,231	2,433
4th quarter	90,817	40,678	45,752	4,387	468,667	248,328	205,471	14,868	115,848	52,349	59,350	4,149
1969 1st quarter	73,037	32,945	36,281	3,811	455,124	240,754	198,281	16,089	86,581	40,519	43,472	2,590
2nd quarter	111,203	54,218	54,176	2,809	472,754	252,098	204,040	16,616	93,573	42,874	48,417	2,282
3rd quarter	96,096	49,174	44,189	2,733	473,719	261,909	200,833	16,606	95,131	44,992	47,399	2,740
4th quarter	76,752	37,040	36,817	2,895	447,431	240,747	191,018	15,666	103,040	52,573	46,629	3,838
England and Wales												
1966	343,267	149,262	185,026	8,979	387,389	191,942	180,464	14,983	349,480	142,430	197,502	9,548
1967	403,573	167,208	225,389	10,976	423,441	195,180	212,913	15,348	362,898	159,347	192,940	10,611
1968	349,939	148,549	190,132	11,258	399,772	195,680	189,772	14,320	371,726	148,049	213,273	10,404
1969	303,650	134,074	158,195	11,381	379,257	189,904	174,590	14,763	324,165	139,850	173,377	10,938
1968 1st quarter	80,956	30,632	48,173	2,151	414,216	190,970	210,631	12,615	88,299	35,842	50,455	2,002
2nd quarter	103,886	47,934	53,450	2,502	420,960	201,574	210,853	13,533	92,142	36,330	53,228	2,584
3rd quarter	89,035	39,270	47,467	2,298	422,396	204,782	203,847	13,767	92,599	36,062	54,473	2,064
4th quarter	76,062	30,713	41,042	4,307	399,772	195,680	189,772	14,320	98,686	39,815	55,117	3,754
1969 1st quarter	62,625	25,471	33,501	3,653	386,729	188,693	182,459	15,577	75,668	32,458	40,814	2,396
2nd quarter	95,136	41,965	50,407	2,764	401,538	197,777	187,621	16,140	80,327	32,881	45,245	2,201
3rd quarter	82,339	39,485	40,391	2,463	402,198	202,213	184,021	15,964	81,679	35,049	43,991	2,639
4th quarter	63,550	27,153	33,896	2,501	379,257	189,904	174,590	14,763	86,491	39,462	43,327	3,702
Scotland												
1966	36,049	27,096	8,386	567	50,550	40,845	8,619	1,086	36,029	27,515	7,870	644
1967	43,994	34,951	8,259	784	53,086	42,574	9,380	1,132	41,458	33,222	7,498	738
1968	44,460	34,009	9,918	533	55,557	44,572	10,578	407	41,989	32,011	8,720	1,258
1969	39,818	30,393	8,640	785	52,747	41,033	10,892	822	42,629	33,932	8,327	370
1968 1st quarter	9,557	7,130	2,325	102	53,351	42,834	9,544	973	9,292	6,870	2,161	261
2nd quarter	11,952	9,704	1,986	262	56,022	45,141	9,964	917	9,281	7,397	1,566	318
3rd quarter	10,623	8,496	2,036	91	57,354	46,617	10,081	656	9,291	7,020	1,919	352
4th quarter	12,328	8,679	3,571	78	55,557	44,572	10,578	407	14,125	10,724	3,074	327
1969 1st quarter	8,270	6,242	1,879	149	56,033	44,886	10,693	454	7,795	5,928	1,765	102
2nd quarter	11,899	9,575	2,301	23	57,387	45,864	11,121	402	10,545	8,597	1,873	75
3rd quarter	9,901	6,986	2,645	270	56,360	44,535	11,254	571	10,928	8,315	2,512	101
4th quarter	9,748	7,590	1,815	343	52,747	41,033	10,892	822	13,361	11,092	2,177	92
Northern Ireland												
1966	10,547	6,598	3,829	120	12,249	8,112	4,029	108	10,500	6,926	3,275	299
1967	12,762	8,297	4,219	246	13,912	9,229	4,478	205	11,099	7,180	3,770	149
1968	11,546	6,771	4,718	57	13,338	8,076	5,121	141	12,120	7,924	4,075	121
1969	13,617	8,910	4,625	82	15,427	9,810	5,536	81	11,531	7,176	4,213	142
1968 1st quarter	2,580	1,586	994	—	13,152	8,670	4,292	190	3,340	2,145	1,180	15
2nd quarter	3,492	2,092	1,393	7	13,838	8,874	4,788	176	2,806	1,888	897	21
3rd quarter	3,047	1,807	1,192	48	13,948	8,600	5,141	207	2,937	2,081	839	17
4th quarter	2,427	1,286	1,139	2	13,338	8,076	5,121	141	3,037	1,810	1,159	68
1969 1st quarter	2,142	1,232	901	9	12,362	7,175	5,129	58	3,118	2,133	893	92
2nd quarter	4,168	2,678	1,468	22	13,829	8,457	5,298	74	2,701	1,396	1,299	6
3rd quarter	3,856	2,703	1,153	—	15,161	9,532	5,558	71	2,524	1,628	896	—
4th quarter	3,454	2,297	1,106	51	15,427	9,810	5,536	81	3,188	2,019	1,125	44

(1) and (2) See footnotes (1) and (2) to Table 108.

Sources: Ministry of Housing and Local Government
Scottish Development Department
Ministry of Development (Northern Ireland

Permanent houses completed

TABLE 108

Number of houses and flats

	England and Wales					Scotland			Northern Ireland		
	For local housing authorities(1)		For private owners		Others(2)	For local housing authorities (1)	For private owners	Others(2)	For local housing authorities (1)	For private owners	Others(2)
	Houses	Flats	Houses	Flats							
1945 to 1954(3)	1,269,977		354,797		74,908	203,996	13,807	5,370	33,401	17,080	878
1955	162,525		109,934		10,867	29,278	3,523	1,268	4,221	2,636	171
1956	139,977		119,585		9,162	26,290	4,576	1,035	4,443	2,270	336
1957	137,584		122,942		8,127	28,326	3,513	598	3,719	2,329	452
1958	113,146		124,087		4,292	27,373	4,061	736	2,764	2,072	102
1959	99,456		146,476		3,449	22,709	4,232	352	2,380	2,458	56
1960	103,235		162,100		3,891	21,503	6,529	560	3,478	2,776	183
1961	92,880		170,366		5,586	19,541	7,147	542	3,697	3,214	188
1962	105,302		167,016		6,349	18,788	7,784	189	4,487	3,411	317
1963	50,599	46,416	150,120	18,122	5,398	21,164	6,622	431	5,724	2,923	195
1964	60,624	58,844	189,785	20,647	6,605	29,156	7,662	353	6,130	3,170	216
1965	63,357	69,667	188,129	18,117	7,911	26,584	7,553	979	5,349	3,363	225
1966	68,798	73,632	179,647	17,855	9,548	27,515	7,870	644	6,926	3,275	299
1967	81,751	77,596	178,028	14,912	10,611	33,222	7,498	738	7,180	3,770	149
1968	75,680	72,369	198,230	15,043	10,404	32,011	8,720	1,258	7,924	4,075	121
1969	68,408	71,442	160,491	12,886	10,938	33,932	8,327	370	7,176	4,213	142
1968 April	5,452	4,705	16,113	1,254	764	1,702			367	300	14
May	7,904	6,601	18,045	1,285	705	3,043	1,566	318	731	264	—
June	5,976	5,692	15,410	1,121	1,115	2,652			790	333	7
July	6,850	6,290	17,751	1,148	621	2,122			417	165	2
August	5,883	5,779	16,750	1,180	612	2,253	1,919	352	693	355	—
September	6,061	5,199	16,424	1,220	831	2,645			971	319	15
October	6,391	5,987	18,051	1,490	892	3,385			476	379	50
November	6,628	6,708	16,685	1,466	1,031	2,910	3,074	327	520	349	—
December	6,566	7,535	16,399	1,026	1,831	4,429			814	431	18
1969 January	5,177	5,860	14,321	1,042	1,082	1,957			461	379	73
February	4,009	4,621	11,622	970	621	1,735	1,765	102	495	298	—
March	6,040	6,751	11,927	932	693	2,236			1,177	216	19
April	4,521	4,928	14,101	1,194	792	3,100			177	496	3
May	6,002	6,021	13,359	951	803	2,462	1,873	75	636	522	—
June	6,035	5,374	14,433	1,207	606	3,035			583	281	3
July	6,500	5,878	13,648	1,222	978	3,071			380	279	—
August	5,747	5,313	13,186	882	623	2,210	2,512	101	517	362	—
September	5,633	5,978	13,908	1,145	1,038	3,034			731	255	—
October	6,627	6,613	14,709	1,303	816	2,972			995	520	10
November	5,830	5,870	13,088	801	1,074	3,074	2,177	92	541	320	—
December	6,287	8,235	12,189	1,237	1,812	5,046			483	285	34
1970 January	4,720	4,519	11,256	1,220	799	1,725			523	322	—
February	4,781	4,761	10,262	1,222	1,064	2,403			396	358	—
March											

(1) Including the Commission for the New Towns and new town development corporations; in Scotland ,the Scottish Special Housing Association and, in Northern Ireland, the Northern Ireland Housing Trust.

(2) Including housing associations, other than the Scottish Special Housing Association and the Northern Ireland Housing Trust, and houses provided or authorised by government departments for the families of police, prison staff, the armed forces and certain other services.

(3) Figures for England and Wales relate to the period April 1945 to December 1954.

Sources: Ministry of Housing and Local Government
Scottish Development Department
Ministry of Development (Northern Ireland)

Educational building in Great Britain(1)(2)

Approval and progress of building

TABLE 109

£ thousand

	Projects approved(3)					Under construction (end of period)(3)(5)	Completions (3) (5)
	Primary and secondary	Special schools	Further education	Training of teachers	Total(4)		
England and Wales							
1946 to 1964	1,031,354	31,889	203,494	62,743	1,368,574	393,493	1,160,244
1965...	77,085	3,908	13,931	7,063	105,318	170,046	123,316
1966...	107,479	4,711	33,912	8,174	154,276	185,312	120,517
1967...	124,389	6,117	35,771	4,786	171,063	223,676	143,467
1968...	115,516	3,630	27,413	4,738	151,297	226,479	153,121
1969...	103,386	6,667	24,380	5,344	139,777	208,431	161,114
1967 1st quarter	57,051	2,698	11,046	540	71,335	216,758	31,431
2nd quarter	18,653	1,059	8,877	2,365	30,954	240,896	27,243
3rd quarter	25,055	1,541	9,237	671	36,504	224,554	50,970
4th quarter	23,630	819	6,611	1,210	32,270	223,676	33,823
1968 1st quarter	55,931	1,467	6,393	1,226	65,017	275,061	28,998
2nd quarter	25,236	834	10,162	912	37,144	272,333	31,666
3rd quarter	18,787	903	5,639	1,733	27,062	240,747	58,276
4th quarter	15,562	426	5,219	867	22,074	226,479	34,181
1969 1st quarter	33,771	3,202	8,584	964	46,521	258,429	32,062
2nd quarter	28,711	870	6,844	1,728	38,153	248,928	38,690
3rd quarter	21,235	898	5,046	1,465	28,644	217,884	56,496
4th quarter	19,669	1,697	3,906	1,187	26,459	208,431	33,866
Scotland(6)(7)							
1946 to 1964	162,804	2,524	19,700	7,909	192,937	329,620	138,245
1965...	9,585	594	3,204	1,144	14,527	54,121	23,161
1966...	12,580	190	6,235	960	19,965	57,222	21,868
1967...	25,468	404	7,230	1,449	34,551	67,469	19,420
1968...	35,708	950	13,049	1,088	50,795	90,168	28,832
1969...	20,279	369	4,625	1,494	26,767	91,527	35,836
1967 1st quarter	6,825	81	438	47	7,391	64,251	4,001
2nd quarter	3,195	286	417	249	4,147	65,265	5,563
3rd quarter	5,162	30	1,663	243	7,098	65,854	6,261
4th quarter	10,286	7	4,712	910	15,915	67,469	3,595
1968 1st quarter	9,879	94	6,116	12	16,101	84,709	6,831
2nd quarter	8,879	14	3,277	14	12,184	84,571	6,855
3rd quarter	10,278	837	3,075	21	14,211	88,543	8,801
4th quarter	6,672	5	581	1,041	8,299	90,168	6,345
1969 1st quarter	5,399	75	1,143	397	7,014	95,420	7,608
2nd quarter	7,857	25	596	48	8,526	98,047	7,647
3rd quarter	2,230	228	157	1,049	3,664	91,008	12,893
4th quarter	4,793	41	2,729	—	7,563	91,527	7,688

(1) Excluding building which is wholly financed from private sources. (2) From January 1960 for Scotland and from April 1960 for England and Wales the cost of school meals projects has not been separately recorded. The value of such projects, shown separately for the years 1946 to 1959 in previous tables of educational building, has been included as appropriate under the headings 'Primary and secondary' and 'Special schools'. (3) Figures for England and Wales include the value of projects for which specific approval is not required. (4) Totals for England and Wales include the value of certain projects for which no analysis between type of project is available. As from October 1961, the individual value of such projects is less than £2,000. (5) Figures for England and Wales relate to project values and those for Scotland to contract values. Figures for Scotland include the cost of certain minor projects for which specific approval is not required. (6) The Scottish figures of projects approved refer to approval at the sketch plan stage, which might be some six to twelve months before the start of construction. (7) The Scottish figures of 'Under construction' and 'Completions' are based on the tender costs. The 'Under construction' and 'Completions' figures exclude the value of approved school projects which in 1969 amounted to £1,246,000 and £406,000 respectively.

Sources: Department of Education and Science
Scottish Education Department

Educational building in Great Britain

New places provided in grant-aided primary and secondary schools(1)

TABLE 109 (*continued*)

Number

	All projects			New schools(2)		Other projects(3)	
	Total	Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary
England and Wales							
1946 to 1964	3,715,695	1,818,100	1,897,595	1,166,260	1,233,730	651,840	663,865
1965	246,310	113,985	132,325	72,090	92,075	41,895	40,250
1966	267,560	162,100	105,460	90,540	63,355	71,560	42,105
1967	332,665	216,565	116,100	144,760	83,395	71,805	32,705
1968	364,734	254,224	110,510	171,140	73,995	83,084	35,515
1969	367,636	233,506	134,130	145,590	78,360	87,916	55,770
1967 1st quarter	75,930	42,875	33,055	28,730	24,480	14,145	8,575
2nd quarter	61,860	43,950	17,910	32,580	13,080	11,370	4,830
3rd quarter	107,815	85,010	22,805	54,420	13,630	30,590	9,175
4th quarter	87,060	44,730	42,330	29,030	32,205	15,700	10,125
1968 1st quarter	65,120	43,340	21,780	28,240	11,960	15,100	9,820
2nd quarter	79,940	58,360	21,580	44,140	15,470	14,220	6,110
3rd quarter	139,194	99,209	39,985	67,260	30,850	31,949	9,135
4th quarter	80,480	53,315	27,165	31,500	15,715	21,815	11,450
1969 1st quarter	79,620	56,380	23,240	37,610	14,760	18,770	8,480
2nd quarter	78,620	52,745	25,875	38,850	17,280	13,895	8,595
3rd quarter	124,740	73,740	51,000	39,450	27,975	34,290	23,025
4th quarter	84,656	50,641	34,015	29,680	18,345	20,961	15,670
Scotland							
1946 to 1964	564,822	299,111	265,711	..	..	..	..
1965	59,913	28,819	31,094	22,498	24,826	6,321	6,268
1966	54,337	24,153	30,184	21,866	22,992	2,287	7,192
1967	49,524	26,359	23,165	20,729	14,018	5,630	9,147
1968	45,658	26,064	19,594	19,419	10,317	6,645	9,277
1969	74,699	36,035	38,664	29,397	25,894	6,638	12,770
1967 1st quarter	9,728	6,730	2,998	4,745	1,344	1,985	1,654
2nd quarter	14,114	4,585	9,529	3,665	6,907	920	2,622
3rd quarter	16,940	8,778	8,162	6,743	5,482	2,035	2,680
4th quarter	8,742	6,266	2,476	5,576	285	690	2,191
1968 1st quarter	16,205	6,546	9,659	4,459	5,691	2,087	3,968
2nd quarter	10,507	8,107	2,400	6,220	1,396	1,887	1,004
3rd quarter	11,405	9,056	2,349	7,250	..	1,806	2,349
4th quarter ...	7,541	2,355	5,186	1,490	3,230	865	1,956
1969 1st quarter	16,407	4,582	11,825	3,076	9,540	1,506	2,285
2nd quarter	14,577	9,718	4,859	8,338	1,500	1,380	3,359
3rd quarter	28,006	13,992	14,014	11,470	9,823	2,522	4,191
4th quarter	15,709	7,743	7,966	6,513	5,031	1,230	2,935

(1) The method of calculation of the number of new places provided differs in England and Wales and Scotland. In England and Wales the figures refer to the number of pupils for which new school accommodation is designed. In Scotland the figures refer to the sum of the approved capacities of all the teaching rooms whether classrooms or practical rooms, and will normally exceed the number of pupils for which accommodation is designed.

(2) Including new schools brought into partial use before completion.

(3) Extensions, alterations, remodelling and war damage repairs.

Sources: Department of Education and Science
Scottish Education Department

Building materials and components

Great Britain

TABLE 110 — Production: monthly averages, calendar months, or totals for four or five week periods — Stocks: end of period

	Building bricks		Cement(1)		Building sand	Concreting sand	Gravel (2)	Plaster	Gypsum	Asbestos cement sheets		Plasterboard	
										Flat (all types)	Corrugated		
	Production				Production							Production	
	Millions		Thousand tons		Thousand cubic yards			Thousand tons				Thousand sq. yds	
	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks									
1966	589	905	1,374	414	1,215	2,158	4,107	81·4	211·2	5·5	30·3	6,451	2,737
1967	601	405	1,442	456	1,291	2,231	4,397	78·9	222·6	5·4	30·6	7,582	3,061
1968	622	635	1,466	458	1,328	2,258	4,310	82·4	213.3	5.3	32·3	8,501	5,481
1969	561	877	1,429	450	1,255	2,198	4,093	77·3	234·1	4·2	31·6	8,256	5,107
1969 January ...	599	761	1,098	455				81·1	244·6	3·9	27·6	8,645	5,373
February...	523	892	1,045	508	1,079	1,879	3,493	71·3	207·1	6·2	31·6	7,583	5,205
March ...	573	944	1,570*	431				81·3	231·2	4·6*	33·9*	8,513	5,360
April ...	554	922	1,329	428				78·3	212·0	4·4	22·2	8,718	6,003
May ...	600	882	1,460	382	1,348	2,338	4,384	81·4	256·4	4·0	26·6	8,872	5,912
June ...	595	812	1,847*	355				81·4	267·8	5·2*	31·7*	9,484	6,804
July ...	571	756	1,504	406				85·9	258·6	4·3	27·2	7,899	5,635
August ...	512	736	1,342	439	1,373	2,395	4,595	62·8	174·3	2·8	19·9	6,870	5,312
September	568	742	1,730	388				75·6	250·0	2·8*	31·1*	8,563	5,693
October ...	618	736	1,478	343				86·6	262·4	3·5	30·7	8,687	4,975
November	529	766	1,414	388	1,220	2,178	3,902	77·7	237·2	3·6	32·9	8,561	5,340
December	498	877	1,328	450				64·1	208·1	5·1*	31·6*	6,678	5,107
1970 January ...	487	1,011	910	453				68·4	212·4			7,743	5,462
February...													
March ...													

	Clay roofing tiles		Concrete roofing tiles		Roofing slates		Slates (damp proof course)		Stoneware pipes	Cast iron pipes and fittings (1)	Cast iron baths and other sanitary goods(1)	Metal windows and casement doors	
												Steel	Aluminium
	Production								Production				
	Thousand square yards				Thousand tons				Thousand tons			Tons	
	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks	Production	Stocks					
1966	163·7	633·2	2,596·5	4,235·3	2·7	11·5	0·3	0·9	57·1	8·2	6·2	4,916	614
1967	154·6	533·9	2,759·4	3,590·2	3·2	14·4	0·3	0·9	63·9	6·9	5·7	4,580	567
1968	143·9	464·9	2,338·5	3,916·9	2·6	11·8	0·2	1·1	65·1	6·1	5·8	4,170	571
1969	112·8	271·3			2·0	11·2	0·1	1·1				3,623	607
1968 October	155·1	495·2	3,205·9	3,587·0	3·2	11·9	0·2	0·9	69·8			4,488	699
November ...	142·2	461·7	3,274·3	3,768·2	2·6	11·8	0·3	1·1	66·9	6·1	5·7	4,356	630
December ...	116·0	464·9	2,338·5	3,916·9	2·3	11·8	0·1	1·1	55·2			3,227	598
1969 January	134·4	465·8	3,334·0	4,674·4	2·8	12·3	0·2	1·1	63·0			3,799	782
February	112·2	468·0	2,672·1	5,529·2	1·9	12·6	0·1	1·2	57·2	7·3	5·7	3,458	718
March	114·6	460·9	2,885·0	6,330·0	2·3	12·5	0·1	1·1	57·2			3,608	691
April	110·8	449·4	2,542·7	6,647·1	2·8	13·1	0·2	1·1	56·1			3,679	743
May	116·8	434·0	3,090·2	6,825·6	2·5	13·2	0·2	1·1	59·9	5·5	5·3	3,250	621
June	113·1	394·6	2,598·9	6,677·2	2·4	13·6	0·1	1·1	66·4			3,657	509
July	116·7	368·5	2,338·4	6,053·7	1·9	13·4	0·1	1·1	63·2			3,451	567
August	94·3	354·5	1,877·2	5,436·8	0·9	12·5	0·1	1·1	55·9	4·8	4·3	2,928	461
September ...	116·4	323·7	2,378·0	5,235·5	1·4	11·6	0·1	1·1	39·9			3,544	555
October	135·4	308·1			1·5	11·0	0·1	1·0				4,671	613
November ...	107·0	272·8			2·1	11·2	0·2	1·1				3,926	519
December ...	82·0	271·3			1·2	11·2	0·1	1·1				3,509	505

(1) United Kingdom.
(2) Including hoggin.
* Five week period.

Source: Ministry of Public Building and Works

XII. RETAILING AND CATERING

Index numbers of retail sales in Great Britain

TABLE 111

Sales: weekly average 1966 = 100

	All kinds of business	Food shops	Non-food shops: Total	Non-food shops: Clothing and footwear shops	Non-food shops: Durable goods shops	Non-food shops: Other non-food shops	All kinds of business		Food shops: Total value of sales	Food shops: Grocers (1)	Food shops: Butchers	Food shops: Green-grocers, fruiterers	Food shops: Fish-mongers, poulterers
	Seasonally adjusted							Unadjusted					
	Volume						Value						
Sales in 1966—provisional estimates (£ million)							*11,372*		*4,952*	*2,919*	*724*	*312*	*82*
1966	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1967	101	101	102	100	103	102	103	103	103	103	101	101	99
1968	104	102	105	104	108	104	109	109	108	109	105	99	99
1969	103	103	103	104	104	102	114	114	115	117	111	103	102
1968 1st quarter ...	105	101	108	105	119	106	109	101	103	104	106	93	99
2nd quarter ...	102	101	103	102	101	103	107	104	106	107	101	107	100
3rd quarter ...	103	102	104	104	105	103	109	106	105	107	100	102	95
4th quarter ...	104	104	104	105	106	104	112	126	117	119	114	93	103
1969 1st quarter ...	102	103	101	103	102	100	112	104	111	114	112	96	101
2nd quarter ...	104	103	104	105	103	103	114	111	114	116	107	115	104
3rd quarter ...	103	103	103	105	103	102	115	111	113	115	105	107	98
4th quarter ...	103	103	103	104	106	102	116	132	123	125	119	96	103
1968 November ...	105	105	105	106	107	104	112	118	113	116	110	88	102
*December ...	104	103	104	106	105	103	112	145	128	127	123	102	105
1969 January	104	105	103	107	102	103	113	105	111	112	115	91	102
1969 November ...	104	103	104	106	107	103	117	124	118	122	115	90	102
*December ...	103	103	103	104	105	102	116	150	135	133	128	106	104
1970 January	103	104	102	103	103	103	118	109	116	117	121	96	108

	Food shops (*continued*): Bread and flour confectioners (2)	Off-licences	Dairymen	Clothing and footwear shops: Total value of sales	Footwear shops	Men's wear shops	Women's wear shops	Durable goods shops: Total value of sales (3)	Furniture shops	Radio and electrical goods shops (4)	Radio and television rental specialists	Electricity showrooms	Gas showrooms
Sales in 1966—provisional estimates (£ million) ...	*254*	*217*	*444*	*1,727*	*268*	*362*	*1,097*	*1,176*	*486*	*333*	*109*	*65*	*92*
1966	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1967	104	106	104	102	102	100	102	104	100	108	109	116	108
1968	111	116	109	107	106	106	108	113	106	118	121	140	116
1969	115	130	115	112	111	108	113	113	103	118	132	150	113
1968 1st quarter ...	105	97	108	89	84	93	89	116	106	122	127	154	128
2nd quarter ...	111	92	107	104	106	102	104	99	99	96	109	110	101
3rd quarter ...	111	100	109	102	103	102	102	108	101	111	119	137	112
4th quarter ...	116	175	113	135	132	125	138	128	118	143	127	159	121
1969 1st quarter ...	111	105	113	90	83	93	91	106	94	110	139	140	102
2nd quarter ...	116	107	112	110	112	107	111	104	101	99	124	130	111
3rd quarter ...	116	114	113	107	107	104	107	109	100	113	127	156	111
4th quarter ...	119	193	120	140	142	129	143	132	117	149	139	173	129
1968 November ...	114	136	113	120	122	114	121	126	118	130	131	160	134
*December ...	120	262	115	169	156	160	176	136	122	167	124	151	105
1969 January	107	116	112	99	94	106	98	112	105	117	138	144	91
1969 November ...	120	136	120	128	147	11	127	131	118	136	144	178	141
*December ...	119	295	123	173	159	163	179	139	118	174	140	169	121
1970 January	110	124	119	100	92	108	100	117	105	129	147	157	89

(1) Including co-operative societies' bakery departments. (2) Excluding co-operative societies' bakery departments. (3) Sales by co-operative societies of durable goods and ironmongery and hardware are included in total sales by durable goods shops. (4) Including radio and cycle, and perambulator shops. * Average of five weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

Index numbers of retail sales and stocks

Great Britain

TABLE 111 (*continued*) Sales: weekly average 1966 = 100 Stocks: end 1960 = 100

	Miscellaneous non-food shops								Department stores	Mail order businesses	Stocks at end of period
	Total value of sales (5)	Confectioners, tobacconists, newsagents	Booksellers, stationers (6)	Chemists, photographic goods dealers (7)	Jewellers	Leather goods, sports goods, toys and fancy goods shops	Ironmongers and hardware shops (3)	Other miscellaneous non-food shops			All kinds of business
Sales in 1966 provisional estimates (£ million)	*2,542*	*1,030*	*79*	*350*	*116*	*123*	*298*	*100*	*544*	*431*	
1966	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	137
1967	103	103	105	103	104	102	102	103	104	106	139
1968	110	108	112	111	117	110	109	108	112	115	157
1969	113	112	121	115	115	113	111	109	116	120	169
1968 1st quarter ...	97	100	105	95	102	76	101	104	100	102	151
2nd quarter ...	104	106	93	104	92	90	107	113	99	109	154
3rd quarter ...	109	111	105	113	106	111	106	100	107	95	153
4th quarter ...	130	117	147	131	168	162	121	115	141	151	157
1969 1st quarter ...	99	103	114	98	95	78	99	99	99	103	168
2nd quarter ...	108	107	101	110	97	93	110	119	108	114	168
3rd quarter ...	112	113	114	118	105	114	110	102	109	102	167
4th quarter ...	134	124	156	133	162	168	124	117	147	160	169
1968 November ...	114	109	136	109	119	114	113	105	131	163	176
*December ...	160	134	183	170	257	252	137	133	170	149	157
1969 January ...	96	100	114	101	89	82	98	88	117	82	151
1969 November ...	120	117	147	112	117	119	116	105	138	176	192
*December ...	164	140	187	172	242	255	138	131	176	153	169
1970 January ...	100	106	120	103	88	84	102	93	117	91	161

See footnotes on page 95. (5) Including variety and other general stores. (6) Independent retailers only. Source: Board of Trade
(7) Excluding receipts under the National Health Service.
* Average of five weeks.

Index numbers of turnover in the catering trades

Great Britain

TABLE 112 Weekly average 1964 = 100

	Total all caterers			Licensed hotels and holiday camps			Restaurants, cafes, etc. and fish and chip shops			Public houses			Canteens		
Turnover 1964 (£ million)	*1,985*			*286*			*521*			*1,033*			*145*		
1967	113			114			112			115			105		
1968	117			122			116			118			109		
1969	126			131			122			128			113		
	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970	1968	1969	1970
January	96	108	111	76	87	95	96	103	107	100	115	118	110	119	116
February	100	104		81	87		103	103		101	107		114	119	
*March	103	109		90	97		103	105		105	112		117	123	
April	115	124		107	120		115	120		119	129		106	111	
May	114	124		119	132		108	116		115	127		113	116	
*June	128	136		153	161		122	130		127	135		104	111	
*July	135	147		172	186		135	145		130	144		99	99	
August	138	148		180	191		142	151		130	142		97	101	
*September	132	140		159	165		140	145		125	135		104	111	
October	115	126		121	130		113	124		115	127		114	117	
November	109	116		100	107		108	114		111	118		121	121	
*December	119	127		101	112		108	112		131	141		114	113	

* Average of five weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

Road vehicles in Great Britain: New registrations(1)

TABLE 113 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Number

	Total	Cars	Motor cycles and three-wheelers (2)	Buses, coaches and taxis	Vans and lorries	Tractors and engines: General haulage	Tractors and engines: Agricultural	Other vehicles: Ambulances and fire engines	Other vehicles: Road construction	Other vehicles: Invalid cars	Other vehicles: Others (3)
1964	142,588	99,403	17,931	540	19,945	82	3,972	106	286	292	32
1965	133,394	93,748	13,639	569	20,586	76	3,927	123	307	399	20
1966	124,468	88,987	9,971	568	19,967	98	4,171	128	226	340	12
1967	131,268	93,275	12,302	545	19,717	94	4,625	113	264	321	10
1968	130,115	93,306	10,298	588	20,173	87	4,898	121	277	359	8
1969	116,820	82,483	8,117	602	20,450	81	4,268	119	232	366	102
1967 January ...	136,280	103,564	6,700	509	20,507	73	4,149	103	172	489	14
February ...	123,993	93,092	7,909	492	17,307	46	4,360	138	263	379	7
March ...	142,722	105,209	10,041	817	20,080	57	5,694	151	251	400	22
April ...	143,601	96,940	15,686	736	24,385	118	5,006	112	271	339	8
May ...	152,735	105,221	18,606	868	22,211	109	4,954	101	363	289	13
June... ...	148,528	105,355	16,279	587	20,956	99	4,516	127	268	334	7
July	134,713	92,551	16,466	434	19,587	142	4,732	126	341	320	14
August ...	129,039	89,611	15,588	312	17,480	133	5,506	67	196	146	5
September ...	118,673	81,382	13,862	421	17,280	118	4,895	91	267	342	15
October ...	126,918	88,796	11,843	454	20,047	88	5,044	97	280	259	10
November ...	126,635	91,777	8,721	471	20,582	95	4,260	142	261	310	16
December ...	91,378	65,799	5,946	452	16,143	56	2,383	111	235	244	9
1968 January ...	158,386	122,272	8,770	575	21,515	82	4,362	127	240	423	20
February ...	169,211	131,761	10,375	489	20,385	59	5,346	117	253	410	16
March ...	179,109	136,055	12,625	690	22,422	86	6,331	137	370	387	6
April ...	127,050	86,771	11,370	812	21,703	120	5,352	112	368	440	2
May ...	144,581	102,527	12,588	917	22,532	120	5,075	112	398	311	1
June ...	110,427	75,691	10,541	738	18,349	94	4,298	103	269	342	2
July	111,666	73,860	11,893	502	19,695	134	4,763	136	383	298	2
August ...	132,682	94,322	13,633	407	18,381	105	5,179	70	203	375	7
September ...	107,163	73,148	10,403	505	18,103	57	4,213	198	200	332	4
October ...	122,938	85,309	10,046	480	21,625	72	4,632	143	305	325	1
November ...	112,994	79,366	6,967	494	20,666	60	4,716	113	179	407	26
December ...	85,181	58,595	4,367	443	16,702	57	4,507	84	157	260	9
1969 January ...	120,267	84,417	6,600	597	22,897	64	4,776	114	231	477	94
February ...	115,313	84,621	6,169	534	19,710	52	3,483	98	168	404	74
March ...	136,287	99,579	8,873	673	21,256	63	4,947	159	262	382	93
April ...	144,881	105,701	10,312	933	22,105	78	4,909	142	299	297	105
May ...	131,441	93,935	9,467	837	21,547	54	4,612	115	295	475	104
June ...	120,236	84,192	9,259	738	20,729	123	4,372	100	255	383	85
July ...	109,608	73,393	9,094	593	20,798	102	4,604	156	461	291	116
August ...	137,036	102,032	9,919	349	19,864	79	4,260	78	160	218	77
September ...	108,244	74,988	9,329	428	18,414	169	4,204	96	186	336	94
October ...	114,487	77,583	8,941	508	21,905	79	4,512	113	212	498	136
November ...	87,729	58,180	5,629	539	18,759	60	3,866	109	152	318	117
December ...	76,307	51,180	3,815	495	17,410	54	2,673	148	97	312	123
1970 January ...	117,828	84,993	5,854	642	21,660	59	3,821	114	165	417	103
February ...											
March ...											

(1) Excluding vehicles used by the armed forces.
(2) Including pedestrian-controlled delivery vans.
(3) Figures relate to showmen's tractors and special vehicles of local authorities, watering and cleansing vehicles, tower wagons, and snow ploughs. Other exempt vehicles are included under the appropriate headings.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Road vehicles in Great Britain: Licences current

TABLE 114

Thousands

	Total	Cars	Motor cycles and three-wheelers (1)	Buses, coaches and taxis (2)	Goods vehicles (3)	Agricultural tractors and engines	Vehicles exempt from duty				
							Crown vehicles	Ambulances and fire appliances	Invalid carriages	Road construction vehicles	Others
Annual Census(4)											
1964	12,369	8,247	1,835	96·6	1,582	475·0	64·3	16·3	19·5	25·4	8·2
1965	12,937	8,917	1,706	96·5	1,607	469·9	68·4	72·7			
1966	13,287	9,513	1,497	93·8	1,575	450·1	73·7	13·7	21·0	22·8	26·6
1967	14,096	10,303	1,443	94·2	1,624	468·8	80·5	11·7	22·7	21·8	26·5
1968	14,446	10,816	1,324	99·4	1,571	461·4	82·3	92·0			
1969	14,752	11,228	1,223	101·6	1,569	449·4	83·0	98·0			
Index(5) August 1967=100											
1968 February 29	100·1	101·1	95·1	96·7	98·3	98·7	..	99·2			
May 31	103·2	105·2	95·3	101·0	98·4	99·8	..	101·7			
August 31	103·8	106·2	93·5	104·1	97·5	99·8	..	102·7			
Nov. 30	103·7	106·5	91·1	106·1	97·0	100·3	..	104·1			
1969 February 28	102·6	106·2	87·9	104·3	93·7	91·5	..	99·0			
May 31	101·7	105·4	85·4	106·8	93·1	94·4	..	99·2			
August 31	104·4	109·0	84·3	109·3	93·6	95·1	..	101·5			
Nov. 30	105·6	110·1	82·9	110·7	97·7	95·7	..	106·7			

(1) Including pedestrian controlled delivery vans. (2) Including trolleybuses, tramcars and some private hire cars. (3) Up to and including 1964, showmen's vehicles, tower wagons and local authorities' watering and cleansing vehicles are included. From 1965 onwards, tower wagons used for street lighting and local authorities' vehicles are included with vehicles exempt from duty. All the figures include both general and agricultural goods vehicles, general haulage tractors and showmen's tractors. (4) Licences current at any time during the September quarter. The figures for all years except 1966 are on a sample basis. (5) Quarterly estimates based on licence issues and refunds.

Source: Ministry of Transport

Index numbers of road traffic and goods transport by road and rail

TABLE 115

Monthly average 1963=100

	Index of vehicle miles travelled on roads in Great Britain										Index of ton-miles of inland goods transported(1) in Great Britain		
	Motor traffic												
	All motor traffic	Mopeds	Motor scooters	Other motor cycles	Cars	Buses and coaches	Light vans (2)	Other goods vehicles		Pedal cycles	Total	Rail	Road
								Total	Articulated				
1966	127	104	84	70	138	99	106	113	206	76	112	96	118
1967	133	88	72	62	150	96	104	111	224	67	112	88	123
1968	140	78	66	57	159	97	105	115	260	60	116	95	126
1969	144	69	55	51	165	97	106	114	259	55		99	
1968 October	143	84	63	61	160	100	107	129	301	62	125	101	136
November ...	129	73	52	46	144	89	100	118	281	51	125	106	133
December ...	122	53	42	36	141	85	88	96	221	37	105	104	104
1969 January	124	59	43	38	138	87	99	116	276	48	117	100	123
February ...	108	48	33	28	119	83	89	104	239	38	118	102	125
March	136	62	48	43	153	94	106	124	291	51	129	108	138
April	146	78	67	59	168	93	107	117	284	58	122	108	128
May	155	79	69	66	178	106	114	118	288	62	120	101	129
June	157	82	66	64	183	107	110	112	283	65	119	95	129
July	168	86	71	66	197	113	117	117	308	74	113	86	125
August	173	78	68	67	209	105	113	103	251	66	107	82	117
September ...	154	78	66	59	178	107	113	116	297	61	119	97	129
October	149	77	60	57	169	99	111	124	318	58	122	97	132
November ...	130	59	42	37	148	87	100	109	278	41	122	105	128
December ...	124	46	34	31	142	83	95	106	274	32	109	106	110

(1) The railway figures are derived from statistics compiled by the British Railways Board and from 1969 include estimated ton mileage of freight carried by B.R.B. on behalf of Freightliners Ltd. and National Carriers Ltd. The annual figures for road transport are estimated from periodic sample enquiries, traffic count data, trends in the goods vehicle population and changes in industrial output. The monthly road transport figures are estimated from traffic count data.

(2) Not over 30 cwt. unladen weight.

Sources: Ministry of Transport

Road casualties in Great Britain

TABLE 116

Number

	Total casualties		Nature of casualty			Class of road user			
	All ages	Under 15 years	Killed	Seriously injured	Slightly injured	Pedestrians	Pedal cyclists	Motor cyclists and their passengers (1)	Other drivers and their passengers
1964	385,498	59,556	7,820	95,460	282,218	80,480	37,624	91,283	176,111
1965	397,937	62,001	7,952	97,865	292,120	85,067	34,972	83,414	194,484
1966	392,457	61,948	7,985	99,838	284,634	58,623	30,149	73,243	203,442
1967	369,978	63,016	7,319	93,757	268,902	84,279	27,836	63,615	194,248
1968	349,208	63,962	6,810	88,563	253,835	83,651	26,230	58,179	181,148
1969	353,194	62,656	7,383	90,715	255,096	83,075	24,361	51,543	194,215
1966 October	35,120	5,453	692	8,885	25,543	7,574	2,696	6,728	18,122
November	33,374	4,219	794	8,617	23,963	7,595	2,376	5,579	17,824
December	37,562	4,356	980	9,662	26,920	8,653	2,587	5,100	21,222
1967 January	27,493	3,591	598	7,063	19,832	6,404	2,025	3,977	15,087
February	27,208	4,203	626	6,944	19,638	6,642	1,875	4,083	14,608
March	30,199	5,339	605	7,647	21,947	7,239	1,963	5,076	15,921
April	28,553	5,202	514	7,132	20,907	6,696	2,068	4,922	14,867
May	34,085	6,195	558	8,622	24,905	7,436	2,442	5,725	18,482
June	30,884	5,968	553	7,870	22,461	6,706	2,550	6,044	15,584
July	34,677	6,495	661	8,828	25,188	7,058	2,849	6,761	18,009
August	33,737	6,538	611	8,686	24,440	6,707	2,779	6,293	17,958
September	33,560	5,875	706	8,457	24,397	7,204	2,621	6,201	17,534
October	30,995	5,487	594	7,675	22,726	7,754	2,522	5,642	15,077
November	28,880	4,289	639	7,292	20,949	7,138	2,115	4,916	14,711
December	29,707	3,834	654	7,541	21,512	7,295	2,027	3,975	16,410
1968 January	23,885	3,357	498	6,251	17,136	6,030	1,761	3,389	12,705
February	24,679	4,092	506	6,119	18,054	6,193	1,730	3,446	13,310
March	27,493	5,337	549	6,930	20,014	7,298	1,899	4,483	13,813
April	26,715	5,919	449	6,572	19,694	6,880	2,261	4,501	13,073
May	28,747	6,139	514	7,192	21,041	7,394	2,366	5,147	13,840
June	30,272	6,113	535	7,519	22,218	6,733	2,358	5,518	15,663
July	31,253	6,235	568	7,957	22,728	6,917	2,674	5,826	15,836
August	32,139	6,358	620	8,222	23,297	6,871	2,521	5,985	16,762
September	31,228	5,950	620	7,966	22,642	7,131	2,304	5,518	16,275
October	31,377	5,962	629	8,086	22,662	8,017	2,397	5,546	15,417
November	30,783	4,593	658	7,952	22,173	7,475	2,163	4,982	16,163
December	30,637	3,907	664	7,797	22,176	6,712	1,796	3,838	18,291
1969 January	27,558	3,870	611	7,386	19,561	6,883	2,100	3,551	15,024
February	23,392	3,331	443	6,020	16,929	5,557	1,234	2,397	14,204
March	25,004	4,365	504	6,496	18,004	6,242	1,469	3,325	13,968
April	26,324	5,496	521	6,792	19,011	6,747	1,797	3,958	13,822
May	31,005	6,409	559	7,794	22,652	7,517	2,113	4,844	16,531
June	29,264	6,078	539	7,506	21,219	6,903	2,358	4,985	15,018
July	31,653	6,261	667	7,952	23,034	6,781	2,558	5,344	16,970
August	32,021	6,595	623	8,040	23,358	6,839	2,594	5,154	17,434
September	29,924	5,729	666	7,751	21,507	7,094	2,121	5,067	15,642
October	31,754	5,924	721	8,237	22,796	7,701	2,265	5,383	16,405
November	33,649	4,584	748	8,579	24,322	7,715	2,130	4,216	19,588
December	31,646	4,014	781	8,162	22,703	7,096	1,622	3,319	19,609

(1) Including moped riders, motor scooter riders and passengers.

Sources: Ministry of Transport
Scottish Development Department

Public road passenger transport: Receipts and passenger journeys

TABLE 117

	Passenger journeys						Passenger receipts					
		Buses and coaches						Buses and coaches				
	Total	London Transport Board	Local authorities(1)	Other operators (1)	Trolley buses	Tramcars	Total	London Transport Board	Local authorities(1)	Other operators (1)	Trolley buses	Tramcars
	Millions						£ million					
1965...	11,652	2,132	4,538	4,681	285	15	374·02	63·13	101·99	202·79	5·65	0·46
1966...	11,028	1,978	4,409	4,440	188	14	391·63	63·27	107·09	216·77	4·04	0·46
1967...	10,616	1,979	4,226	4,292	106	13	391·55	63·26	108·50	216·95	2·41	0·43
1968...	10,234	1,946	4,051	4,157	68	12	403·91	65·24	110·48	226·07	1·69	0·42
1967 1st quarter ...	2,634	483	1,071	1,048	31	1	89·37	15·35	26·35	46·92	0·71	0·04
2nd quarter ...	2,723	501	1,094	1,095	30	3	98·91	16·00	27·16	55·01	0·66	0·08
3rd quarter ...	2,662	492	1,057	1,080	25	8	104·49	15·95	27·33	60·35	0·60	0·26
4th quarter ...	2,600	503	1,004	1,069	21	2	98·78	15·96	27·66	54·83	0·48	0·07
1968 1st quarter ...	2,527	491	1,010	1,007	19	1	90·46	15·50	27·28	47·20	0·45	0·03
2nd quarter ...	2,539	499	993	1,026	18	3	99·51	16·03	26·60	56·37	0·42	0·09
3rd quarter ...	2,530	476	1,010	1,021	16	7	108·81	16·52	27·66	63·97	0·42	0·24
4th quarter ...	2,638	480	1,039	1,102	15	2	105·05	17·19	28·94	58·46	0·39	0·07
1969 1st quarter ...	2,385	453	985	932	14	1	91·08	16·06	27·98	46·64	0·36	0·03
2nd quarter ...	2,444	462	1,011	956	12	3	102·66	16·58	29·72	55·96	0·30	0·09
3rd quarter ...	2,431	437	998	977	12	7	104·95	16·20	29·56	58·59	0·31	0·29

(1) Quarterly figures are estimates. Annual figures are actual totals.

Source: Ministry of Transport

British Railways and London Transport railways: Passenger journeys(1)

TABLE 118

Four-weekly totals or averages(2)

Millions

	British Railways				London Transport railways(3)		
	Total	Full fares	Reduced fares(4)	Season tickets	Total	Full and reduced fares	Season tickets
1966	64·47	24·27	17·98	22·23	50·69	37·36	13·33
1967	63·77	23·35	17·89	22·52	50·62	36·55	14·07
1968	64·67	23·88	17·46	23·32	49·80	35·91	13·89
1969	63·07	23·11	17·68	22·29	51·96	37·99	13·97
Four weeks ended:							
1968 October 5	66·56	24·47	18·21	23·87	49·76	35·99	13·77
November 2	67·01	24·35	17·83	24·83	52·44	37·88	14·56
November 30	64·68	24·07	17·17	23·44	51·12	36·65	14·46
December 28	63·60	23·78	17·61	22·21	47·81	34·76	13·05
1969 January 25	63·54	22·99	16·09	24·47	51·18	36·93	14·25
February 22	62·60	22·43	15·72	24·46	50·57	35·85	14·71
March 22	61·06	22·13	15·66	23·27	52·17	37·42	14·76
April 19	62·08	22·63	17·89	21·57	51·42	38·23	13·19
May 17	61·85	21·77	17·47	22·62	53·12	38·59	14·53
June 14	63·90	23·22	19·06	21·62	51·49	37·68	13·81
July 12	63·40	22·90	19·40	21·09	52·02	38·11	13·91
August 9	66·00	23·91	21·61	20·49	53·81	40·84	12·97
September 6	66·17	23·94	21·38	20·85	50·93	38·73	12·21
October 4	63·15	22·69	17·69	22·78	52·50	38·48	14·02
November 1	63·31	23·11	17·28	22·93	53·30	38·31	14·99
November 29	63·06	24·40	15·41	23·26	53·66	38·69	14·97
December 27	59·81	24·25	15·16	20·41	49·33	36·05	13·29
1970 January 31	59·69	22·22	13·86	23·61	52·52	37·95	14·58

(1) Passenger journey figures for 1969 are no longer strictly comparable with those for previous years, due to the transfer from British Railways to London Transport Railways of the Bow to Upminster line on 1 January 1969. This accounts for about 2¾ million journeys per period.

(2) The four-weekly averages for each year are computed from calendar year totals.

(3) The three stages of the London Transport Victoria Line were opened to traffic on 1 September 1968 1 December 1968 and 7 March 1969.

(4) The reduced fares category includes statutory day returns in the London area.

Source: Ministry of Transport

British Railways and inland waterways: Freight traffic

TABLE 119

Four-weekly totals or averages(1)

	British Railways								Inland waterways				
	Traffic originating				Net ton-miles				Traffic originating				Net ton-miles
	Total (2)	Coal and coke	Iron and steel	Other traffic (2)	Total (2)	Coal and coke	Iron and steel	Other traffic (2)	Total	Merchandise	Liquids	Coal and coke	
	Million tons				Millions				Thousand tons				Thousands
1964	18·33	11·28	3·51	3·54	1,228·0	571·0	249·0	407·0	688	234	165	289	10,793
1965	17·53	10·61	3·53	3·39	1,184·0	537·0	247·0	399·0	645	229	158	258	10,159
1966	16·40	10·12	2·98	3·30	1,139·0	527·8	206·6	405·0	587	220	146	221	9,333
1967	15·44	9·40	2·75	3·29	1,042·9	459·9	185·5	397·5	547	191	113	242	7,569
1968	15·95	9·44	2·98	3·53	1,130·2	482·8	207·5	439·9	563	205	109	249	7,204
1969	15·43	9·15	3·04	3·25	1,081·0	483·5	216·4	381·2	516	206	107	203	6,588
Four weeks ended:													
1967 October 7	15·38	9·43	2·86	3·08	1,046·0	467·0	195·0	383·0	541	203	103	235	7,512
November 4	16·41	10·15	2·88	3·38	1,107·0	495·0	195·0	415·0	667	306	105	256	7,755
December 2	17·44	10·86	2·85	3·73	1,179·0	521·0	192·0	466·0	549	167	115	267	7,806
December 30	15·59	9·24	2·87	3·48	1,058·0	442·0	185·0	431·0	520	149	139	232	7,088
1968 January 27	16·40	10·16	2·72	3·52	1,114·0	507·0	197·0	410·0	508	143	114	251	7,349
February 24	17·49	10·78	3·04	3·67	1,222·0	547·0	216·0	459·0	573	188	133	252	8,152
March 23	17·34	10·50	2·93	3·91	1,210·0	504·0	219·0	487·0	727	314	141	272	8,266
April 20	15·39	9·04	2·75	3·56	1,077·0	447·0	190·0	440·0	601	236	121	244	7,065
May 18	16·54	9·76	3·17	3·61	1,154·0	489·0	222·0	443·0	573	188	114	270	7,526
June 15	15·49	9·15	2·98	3·36	1,097·0	473·0	208·0	416·0	524	180	95	249	6,818
July 13	13·27	7·84	2·58	2·86	925·0	400·0	175·0	350·0	539	175	104	260	7,305
August 10	13·32	7·43	2·84	3·06	959·0	402·0	180·0	377·0	468	155	91	222	6,595
September 7	14·30	8·49	2·82	3·00	1,011·0	441·0	191·0	379·0	530	218	83	229	6,769
October 5	16·35	9·67	3·19	3·49	1,161·0	498·0	218·0	445·0	542	242	83	216	6,622
November 2	16·79	9·86	3·18	3·76	1,221·0	519·0	218·0	484·0	493	188	78	227	6,872
November 30	17·65	10·40	3·32	3·93	1,271·0	540·0	232·0	499·0	621	231	108	282	7,449
December 28	15·47	9·01	2·83	3·63	1,137·0	473·0	199·0	465·0	618	208	151	259	7,293
1969 January 25	16·11	9·81	2·93	3·38	1,136·0	546·0	212·0	378·0	500	145	105	251	6,408
February 22	16·30	9·84	3·12	3·35	1,120·0	511·0	228·0	381·0	556	184	112	260	7,312
March 22	17·30	10·49	3·24	3·57	1,194·0	542·0	230·0	422·0	627	257	156	215	7,089
April 19	15·69	9·36	2·92	3·41	1,114·0	500·0	215·0	399·0	572	209	146	217	7,509
May 17	16·69	10·08	3·22	3·40	1,162·0	516·0	240·0	406·0	518	180	107	231	7,330
June 14	15·28	9·03	3·18	3·07	1,054·0	469·0	223·0	362·0	458	167	83	208	6,107
July 12	15·32	9·16	3·10	3·07	1,061·0	468·0	222·0	371·0	483	186	97	200	6,036
August 9	12·49	6·84	2·85	2·81	894·0	375·0	194·0	325·0	501	263	76	162	5,851
September 6	13·45	8·01	2·80	2·65	919·0	421·0	188·0	310·0	525	261	77	188	6,228
October 4	15·96	9·46	3·40	3·11	1,109·0	495·0	235·0	379·0	514	223	88	203	6,252
November 1	14·59	8·17	2·98	3·44	1,064·0	428·0	224·0	412·0	340	151	86	103	5,001
November 29	16·64	10·02	3·03	3·60	1,163·0	538·0	212·0	413·0	518	200	107	211	6,655
December 27	14·80	8·73	2·70	3·36	1,063·0	476·0	190·0	397·0	550	208	147	194	6,738
1970 January 31	16·07	9·53	2·93	3·61	1,194·0	541·0	206·0	447·0	502	156	157	189	6,302
February 28													
March 28													

(1) The four-weekly averages for each year are computed from calendar year totals.
(2) From January 1969, figures do not include freight carried on behalf of National Carriers Ltd. and Freightliners Ltd.

Source: Ministry of Transport

United Kingdom airlines(1)

Aircraft miles flown, passengers, mail and freight carried

TABLE 120 — Monthly averages or calendar months

	All services				Domestic services				International services			
	Aircraft miles flown	Passengers carried	Mail carried	Freight carried (2)	Aircraft miles flown	Passengers carried	Mail carried	Freight carried (2)	Aircraft miles flown	Passengers carried	Mail carried	Freight carried (2)
	Thousands		Short tons(3)		Thousands		Short tons(3)		Thousands		Short tons(3)	
1963...	9,815	720·6	1,582	25,064	1,515	306·1	564	2,609	8,300	414·5	1,017	22,455
1964...	10,614	812·9	1,723	25,108	1,764	351·3	582	3,388	8,849	461·5	1,141	21,720
1965...	11,443	905·6	1,837	25,392	1,824	389·1	624	4,365	9,619	516·8	1,213	21,027
1966...	11,993	1,004·8	2,071	29,993	2,063	426·9	704	6,382	9,930	577·9	1,366	23,612
1967...	12,717	1,026·6	1,908	26,598	2,174	442·8	599	6,190	10,543	583·8	1,309	20,407
1968...	12,830	1,018·7	2,008	25,330	2,082	420·1	592	6,684	10,748	598·6	1,417	18,646
1967 July	15,332	1,551·7	1,706	31,367	3,111	722·5	555	6,303	12,222	829·2	1,151	25,064
August ...	15,305	1,596·8	1,746	32,535	3,058	715·3	593	6,166	12,246	881·5	1,153	26,369
September ...	15,996	1,449·6	1,902	33,835	2,714	614·6	561	7,170	13,281	835·0	1,341	26,666
October ...	12,428	969·0	1,895	26,924	2,062	399·8	651	7,242	10,366	569·2	1,244	19,682
November ...	10,297	633·5	1,935	23,219	1,567	256·2	642	7,013	8,730	377·3	1,293	16,206
December ...	11,145	658·1	2,437	22,062	1,532	256·3	602	6,461	9,614	401·8	1,836	15,601
1968 January ...	10,184	640·9	1,891	20,006	1,545	250·8	600	6,107	8,639	390·1	1,291	13,899
February ...	10,254	602·4	1,849	20,462	1,482	243·8	598	6,265	8,772	358·6	1,251	14,197
March ...	12,560	794·1	2,107	25,357	1,665	311·4	609	7,100	10,894	482·7	1,499	18,257
April	12,464	993·9	1,824	25,080	2,010	385·0	580	6,549	10,455	608·9	1,244	18,531
May	13,575	1,051·5	2,069	25,830	2,396	448·4	653	7,105	11,179	603·0	1,415	18,725
June	13,360	1,269·2	1,728	26,283	2,772	585·8	568	6,771	10,588	683·4	1,161	19,512
July	13,768	1,488·8	1,810	28,004	2,974	695·2	640	7,196	10,794	793·6	1,170	20,808
August ...	15,635	1,556·7	1,876	28,303	2,864	663·8	586	6,250	12,770	892·9	1,290	22,053
September ...	16,322	1,401·6	1,971	30,810	2,510	553·7	510	6,861	13,812	847·8	1,461	23,949
October ...	12,684	956·3	2,043	26,839	1,828	362·0	548	7,187	10,857	594·3	1,495	19,652
November ...	10,792	700·1	2,113	23,818	1,501	273·1	579	6,797	9,290	427·0	1,534	17,021
December ...	12,363	768·7	2,817	23,164	1,439	268·2	629	6,020	10,925	500·5	2,188	17,144
1969 January ...	10,943	712·1	2,028	23,084	1,452	263·2	573	6,772	9,491	449·0	1,455	16,311
February ...	10,250	626·5	1,959	22,739	1,332	225·2	562	6,100	8,919	401·3	1,397	16,640
March ...	13,182	872·0	2,271	28,432	1,575	310·7	618	7,228	11,606	561·3	1,653	21,203
April	10,811	1,015·7	1,807	23,769	1,953	402·1	589	6,987	8,858	613·5	1,217	16,782
May	14,853	1,212·0	2,134	28,105	2,311	483·3	609	7,571	12,542	728·6	1,525	20,534
June	17,289	1,356·7	2,177	29,880	2,524	590·2	596	6,857	14,765	766·4	1,582	23,024
July	16,434	1,571·0	2,104	29,101	2,759	656·4	618	6,992	13,675	914·5	1,485	22,110
August ...	16,423	1,646·3	1,987	28,071	2,733	682·1	554	6,233	13,689	964·3	1,435	21,839
September ...	17,607	1,472·5	2,200	29,463	2,491	568·0	600	6,528	15,115	904·5	1,620	22,935
October ...	14,358	1,092·4	2,302	27,053	2,166	411·0	693	7,156	12,192	681·4	1,608	19,897
November ...	12,057	814·2	2,199	22,165	1,408	307·4	651	5,967	10,650	506·8	1,548	16,199
December ...												

(1) Scheduled services only. All mileage statistics are based on standard (Great Circle) distances.
(2) Including weight of vehicles carried on vehicle ferry services, excess baggage and diplomatic bags.
(3) Short tons of 2,000 lb.

Source: Board of Trade

United Kingdom airlines(1)

Ton-miles and passenger miles

TABLE 120 (*continued*)

Monthly averages or calendar months

	All services				Domestic services				International services			
	Mail	Freight (2)	Passenger	Passenger miles	Mail	Freight (2)	Passenger	Passenger miles	Mail	Freight (2)	Passenger	Passenger miles
	Thousand short ton-miles(3)			Millions	Thousand short ton-miles(3)			Millions	Thousand short ton-miles(3)			Millions
1963...	2,915	11,208	43,234	453·9	143	480	6,038	67·8	2,772	10,727	37,195	386·1
1964...	3,196	13,578	50,953	535·4	149	641	7,000	78·6	3,047	12,938	43,959	456·7
1965...	3,266	17,346	58,649	618·6	158	847	7,746	87·2	3,108	16,498	50,903	531·3
1966...	3,685	19,745	65,512	691·8	175	1,291	8,456	95·5	3,510	20,704	57,055	596·3
1967...	3,730	22,825	69,359	728·9	154	1,299	8,909	100·6	3,576	21,526	60,450	628·4
1968...	4,027	24,090	69,902	730·2	152	1,480	8,559	96·4	3,875	22,610	61,344	633·8
1967 July	3,393	21,852	89,061	958·2	142	1,260	13,866	157·7	3,252	20,592	75,196	800·5
August ...	3,307	21,587	92,299	982·8	152	1,230	13,461	153·5	3,155	20,358	78,838	829·4
September ...	4,046	27,739	104,854	1,097·3	144	1,480	11,874	133·8	3,902	26,259	92,980	963·5
October ...	3,372	25,168	68,551	708·2	170	1,574	8,257	92·5	3,202	23,594	60,294	615·7
November ...	3,390	23,848	49,371	507·2	167	1,543	5,586	62·5	3,224	22,305	43,785	444·7
December ...	5,188	24,333	55,526	577·0	145	1,444	5,494	61·5	5,043	22,891	50,032	515·5
1968 January ...	3,159	19,376	51,797	538·7	153	1,345	5,416	60·6	3,006	18,031	46,381	478·1
February ...	3,352	20,617	47,924	489·3	153	1,388	5,323	59·6	3,199	19,229	42,602	429·8
March ...	4,557	27,724	66,387	681·1	154	1,569	6,628	74·2	4,403	26,155	59,759	606·9
April ...	3,607	21,911	64,181	674·4	151	1,426	7,808	88·0	3,456	20,485	56,374	586·5
May	4,136	24,280	69,280	721·4	169	1,566	9,183	103·1	3,966	22,714	60,097	618·3
June... ...	2,995	19,319	69,843	736·2	149	1,497	11,362	128·4	2,846	17,822	58,480	607·3
July	2,808	18,270	76,546	821·4	167	1,573	13,653	154·9	2,641	16,697	62,896	666·5
August ...	3,702	22,336	95,168	1,013·4	151	1,400	12,946	147·1	3,551	20,937	82,222	866·3
September ...	4,540	29,706	105,284	1,102·3	131	1,526	10,971	123·4	4,409	28,180	94,313	978·9
October ...	4,048	27,084	70,746	730·7	143	1,623	7,619	85·1	3,906	25,460	63,127	645·5
November ...	4,307	27,457	54,150	553·5	145	1,513	5,944	66·4	4,161	25,946	48,205	487·0
December ...	7,112	31,004	67,523	699·9	152	1,338	5,854	65·4	6,960	29,665	61,668	634·5
1969 January ...	3,927	26,838	57,510	598·8	141	1,458	5,710	64·2	3,787	25,381	51,800	534·6
February ...	4,074	29,213	50,841	520·4	136	1,326	4,904	55·0	3,939	27,887	45,938	465·4
March ...	5,390	39,970	73,654	758·7	152	1,539	6,622	74·5	5,238	38,431	67,031	684·2
April ...	3,001	20,765	54,489	577·3	145	1,534	8,180	92·6	2,855	19,231	46,310	484·7
May ...	4,553	31,334	81,548	847·8	154	1,684	9,797	110·5	4,401	29,650	71,752	737·4
June ...	5,220	35,259	98,114	1,022·6	149	1,541	10,857	122·5	5,071	33,718	87,257	900·1
July	4,381	28,578	103,857	1,104·2	152	1,505	12,983	146·8	4,228	27,073	90,874	957·4
August ...	4,301	27,410	106,927	1,135·7	135	1,410	13,140	149·5	4,166	26,000	93,787	986·3
September...	5,212	32,628	117,336	1,229·5	150	1,501	11,332	127·5	5,062	31,127	106,004	1,102·0
October ...	4,747	31,513	81,834	844·9	175	1,572	8,592	96·5	4,572	29,942	73,243	748·4
November ...	4,770	29,829	63,977	656·3	160	1,282	6,593	74·1	4,610	28,548	57,384	582·2
December ...												

See corresponding footnotes on page 102.

Source: Board of Trade

MERCHANT SHIPPING

Merchant vessels of 500 gross tons and over registered in the United Kingdom(1)

TABLE 121 — End of period

	All vessels			Passenger			Dry cargo(2)			Tankers		
	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons	Number	Thousand gross tons	Thousand dead-weight tons
1939 September 3 ...	3,471	16,892	22,662	509	3,915	2,959	2,488	9,947	15,253	474	3,029	4,450
1964 December ...	2,473	20,428	26,646	213	2,244	1,268	1,725	10,380	13,646	535	7,804	11,732
1965 December ...	2,401	20,382	26,650	201	2,115	1,146	1,693	10,581	13,898	507	7,685	11,605
1966 December ...	2,319	20,522	26,931	191	1,971	1,052	1,637	10,694	14,005	491	7,857	11,874
1967 December ...	2,181	20,375	27,446	173	1,709	919	1,527	10,758	14,361	481	7,908	12,166
1968 October ...	2,059	20,302	28,182	158	1,542	840	1,442	10,500	14,237	459	8,260	13,105
November ...	2,051	20,260	28,134	158	1,541	840	1,433	10,468	14,198	460	8,250	13,096
December ...	2,058	20,730	28,847	159	1,605	854	1,435	10,559	14,353	464	8,566	13,640
1969 January ...	2,047	20,678	28,786	159	1,604	854	1,422	10,514	14,294	466	8,560	13,639
February ...	2,040	20,808	29,061	156	1,571	836	1,421	10,578	14,390	463	8,660	13,834
March	2,039	21,130	29,684	155	1,544	820	1,419	10,647	14,488	465	8,939	14,376
April	2,042	21,471	30,260	155	1,544	820	1,417	10,641	14,482	470	9,286	14,958
May	2,035	21,551	30,428	136	1,402	677	1,432	10,805	14,659	467	9,344	15,092
June	2,036	21,574	30,466	136	1,402	677	1,432	10,857	14,726	468	9,315	15,063
July	2,036	21,848	31,023	138	1,400	673	1,434	10,957	14,892	464	9,491	15,458
August	2,029	21,865	31,163	137	1,390	662	1,430	10,922	14,859	462	9,553	15,642
September ...	2,013	21,716	30,972	135	1,363	641	1,420	10,875	14,804	458	9,478	15,527
October ...	2,008	21,862	31,493	133	1,258	610	1,413	10,805	14,718	462	9,799	16,165
November ...	2,004	22,111	31,964	133	1,258	610	1,408	10,851	14,799	463	10,002	16,555
December ...	2,002	22,274	32,386	131	1,245	599	1,405	10,814	14,811	466	10,215	16,976

(1) Steam and motor vessels only, excluding miscellaneous craft.
(2) Except in 1939, including Canadian-owned non-tanker tonnage specially transferred to the United Kingdom register. This amounted to 12 thousand gross tons at 31 December 1969.

Source: Board of Trade

Shipping movement: Entrances and clearances in the foreign trade(1)

TABLE 122 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand net tons

	Entered with cargo		Cleared with cargo		Entered in ballast			Cleared in ballast		
	With mail only	Other	With mail only	Other	With passengers only	For bunkers only	Other	With passengers only	With bunkers only	Other
1966	63	8,928	114	4,745	832	19	1,467	1,044	2,007	3,759
1967	57	9,853	58	5,173	686	20	1,444	940	1,962	3,818
1968	62	10,191	66	5,500	700	23	1,465	914	1,686	4,246
1969	98	10,777	87	5,808	679	18	1,629	962	1,655	4,359
1969 January	82	10,118	50	5,207	333	10	1,542	440	1,965	4,311
February	83	9,035	60	4,505	173	—	1,507	329	1,642	3,746
March	68	10,279	56	5,026	276	3	1,490	561	2,000	4,125
April	133	10,055	35	5,187	475	4	1,480	700	1,733	4,105
May	118	11,045	125	5,917	790	8	1,682	947	1,480	4,739
June	112	11,504	172	6,361	930	47	1,863	1,404	1,440	4,286
July	100	11,956	107	7,080	1,510	12	1,631	1,891	1,454	4,943
August	77	11,949	70	7,183	1,563	37	1,785	2,043	1,301	4,543
September	84	11,020	81	6,307	985	63	1,673	1,280	1,514	4,209
October	114	11,162	143	6,206	514	28	1,744	869	1,695	4,624
November	119	9,975	57	4,992	286	1	1,463	624	1,626	4,123
December	86	11,229	89	5,719	309	1	1,682	459	2,006	4,557
1970 January	145	10,125	68	5,752	323	5	1,747	400	1,707	4,325
February										
March										

(1) The figures relate to voyages direct from any port abroad to a port in the United Kingdom or vice versa. Vessels calling at more than one United Kingdom port in the course of a single voyage are recorded as entered or cleared at one port only.

Source: Ministry of Transport

United Kingdom passenger movement by sea and air(1)

TABLE 123 — Summary — Thousands

	Inward							Outward						
	Total	Irish Republic		European continent and Mediterranean Sea area		Rest of world		Total	Irish Republic		European continent and Mediterranean Sea area		Rest of world	
		Sea	Air	Sea(2)	Air	Sea	Air		Sea	Air	Sea(2)	Air	Sea	Air
1964	8,922	736	581	3,020	3,446	245	894	8,944	722	584	3,024	3,400	284	930
1965	9,900	796	622	3,299	3,899	232	1,052	9,914	769	623	3,295	3,862	261	1,104
1966	10,911	711	715	3,441	4,631	201	1,212	10,929	692	716	3,413	4,585	247	1,273
1967	11,671	794	701	3,516	5,047	203	1,410	11,640	761	695	3,497	4,997	236	1,454
1968	12,439	864	722	3,582	5,498	171	1,602	12,547	870	726	3,554	5,464	196	1,647
1969		940		4,139		161			928		4,197		184	
1961 1st quarter	844	97	60	221	323	47	96	846	72	55	247	330	49	94
2nd quarter	1,830	147	99	628	682	93	179	1,752	147	102	616	700	69	116
3rd quarter	3,474	415	195	1,451	1,113	95	204	3,386	397	195	1,397	1,075	99	223
4th quarter	976	84	71	243	396	53	128	971	104	77	225	372	64	128
1962 1st quarter	858	86	64	206	345	47	110	784	61	57	182	327	54	103
2nd quarter	1,962	138	106	665	750	94	208	1,980	150	112	725	792	70	132
3rd quarter	3,676	396	201	1,535	1,237	83	223	3,614	374	198	1,486	1,191	98	267
4th quarter	993	80	78	240	422	51	122	1,033	99	85	237	406	66	139
1963 1st quarter	855	69	71	206	364	38	108	826	53	63	189	354	52	114
2nd quarter	2,123	131	123	745	831	82	212	2,206	139	130	819	890	75	153
3rd quarter	4,056	398	220	1,712	1,378	88	261	3,983	384	217	1,657	1,324	97	303
4th quarter	1,109	79	94	261	487	42	145	1,143	93	100	250	462	71	167
1964 1st quarter	1,023	79	87	262	434	40	121	1,074	69	84	299	442	48	132
2nd quarter	2,268	137	140	727	921	77	266	2,289	140	142	762	959	72	214
3rd quarter	4,383	440	250	1,754	1,522	82	335	4,307	419	247	1,702	1,468	95	376
4th quarter	1,249	80	105	277	569	46	172	1,273	94	111	260	531	69	208
1965 1st quarter	1,075	79	96	227	482	41	150	1,029	57	87	209	473	47	156
2nd quarter	2,615	146	159	834	1,093	74	309	2,724	156	164	921	1,160	62	261
3rd quarter	4,843	483	259	1,941	1,681	76	403	4,765	460	257	1,885	1,632	86	445
4th quarter	1,367	87	108	297	642	42	191	1,396	95	116	280	597	67	241
1966 1st quarter	1,201	87	106	254	546	36	172	1,165	65	95	238	533	46	188
2nd quarter	2,807	103	189	804	1,288	61	362	2,916	103	197	880	1,376	47	313
3rd quarter	5,363	444	297	2,052	2,039	71	460	5,291	432	291	1,992	1,981	94	501
4th quarter	1,541	77	123	331	758	34	218	1,554	91	133	304	695	60	271
1967 1st quarter	1,411	84	121	325	642	34	205	1,472	69	113	366	657	45	222
2nd quarter	2,938	146	176	793	1,375	60	388	2,977	157	178	807	1,430	61	344
3rd quarter	5,613	500	289	2,044	2,164	70	546	5,525	478	287	1,998	2,109	79	574
4th quarter	1,708	64	114	354	866	38	272	1,666	57	116	327	801	51	314
1968 1st quarter	1,420	56	109	272	700	34	249	1,392	54	106	262	688	36	246
2nd quarter	3,231	171	186	890	1,502	51	431	3,341	191	192	958	1,584	46	370
3rd quarter	5,837	550	283	2,038	2,292	55	619	5,788	530	278	1,978	2,252	69	681
4th quarter	1,953	87	143	383	1,005	32	303	1,936	96	150	355	940	45	350
1969 1st quarter	1,657	72	126	321	834	27	277	1,660	58	117	326	832	35	292
2nd quarter	3,850	180	196	1,088	1,796	55	535	3,949	195	199	1,172	1,896	48	439
3rd quarter	6,685	596	282	2,285	2,693	51	788	6,697	573	278	2,282	2,669	57	838
4th quarter		92		446		28			102		417		44	

(1) Excluding movement by land across the frontier between the Irish Republic and Northern Ireland, passengers travelling between the Channel Islands and Great Britain, passengers carried in aircraft chartered by British government departments and, as far as possible, passengers travelling by sea on pleasure cruises and day trips, and H.M. and other Armed Forces travelling in the course of their duties.

(2) Includes Hovercraft passengers from 1 April 1969.

Source: Board of Trade

United Kingdom passenger movement by sea and air(1)

Analysis by countries of landing and of embarkation

TABLE 124

Thousands

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1968 2nd quarter	1968 3rd quarter	1968 4th quarter	1969 1st quarter	1969 2nd quarter	1969 3rd quarter	1969 4th quarter
European continent and Mediterranean Sea area(2)											
By sea											
Total	6,854	7,013	7,136	8,336	1,848	4,016	738	647	2,260	4,567	863
France(3)	3,681	3,774	3,524	4,408	749	2,225	312	294	1,168	2,586	360
Belgium	2,039	1,936	2,213	2,304	699	1,156	213	177	644	1,243	239
Holland	644	710	776	944	225	325	135	104	265	406	168
Scandinavia	379	424	428	428	124	215	48	43	120	212	52
Others	112	169	195	252	51	94	30	28	63	119	43
By air											
Total	9,216	10,044	10,962		3,086	4,544	1,945	1,666	3,691	5,362	
France	2,124	2,182	1,880		457	731	384	331	619	784	
Belgium	666	718	731		230	291	122	102	208	282	
Holland	908	982	1,037		367	316	201	168	394	365	
Germany	882	1,008	1,175		307	386	260	284	361	448	
Italy	940	918	952		274	454	137	116	316	533	
Spain	1,338	1,676	2,256		660	1,199	296	165	879	1,587	
Switzerland	629	682	774		208	302	125	157	230	341	
Scandinavia	460	505	579		164	210	115	105	189	237	
Middle East countries	241	248	339		84	113	82	70	88	129	
Others	1,028	1,124	1,239		336	541	222	168	407	657	
Rest of world											
By sea											
Total	447·7	438·4	367·3	345·0	97·2	123·5	76·3	61·5	103·3	108·1	72·0
United States of America	118·4	104·2	87·0	84·2	27·2	42·4	10·0	2·4	25·2	43·4	13·2
Canada	63·5	68·0	42·6	33·4	13·7	21·5	6·9	0·2	10·6	17·6	5·1
Australia	108·8	112·3	107·5	101·0	25·1	26·6	27·3	24·7	33·9	19·0	22·9
New Zealand	31·8	31·7	22·1	19·7	5·3	5·1	5·6	4·8	5·2	4·6	5·0
South Africa	46·9	52·8	53·6	53·4	13·4	14·0	12·6	14·0	13·5	13·9	12·1
East Africa(4)	5·2	2·7	1·7	0·7	0·4	0·6	0·4	0·4	0·4	—	—
West Africa(4)	10·9	9·7	8·4	5·2	2·3	2·7	1·6	1·2	1·3	1·1	1·6
British West Indies and Bermuda	15·6	16·9	14·4	13·8	3·1	4·1	4·2	3·1	2·9	3·8	3·9
India, Pakistan and Ceylon	5·4	3·1	0·9	0·5	0·2	0·2	0·3	0·1	0·3	0·1	0·1
Others	41·1	37·1	29·0	33·1	6·6	6·2	7·3	10·6	9·9	4·6	8·0
By air											
Total	2,484·5	2,864·4	3,249·3		801·0	1,300·7	652·5	569·4	974·6	1,616·1	
United States of America	1,286·6	1,463·2	1,639·6		427·0	680·8	317·9	251·1	532·6	860·1	
Canada	477·1	558·9	640·9		169·5	319·3	92·9	67·6	206·4	407·3	
Australia and New Zealand	60·6	62·2	69·8		17·0	19·0	20·4	20·0	23·8	22·4	
South Africa	67·7	77·6	91·9		21·7	25·2	23·5	25·7	24·2	30·0	
East Africa(4)	75·7	92·1	113·6		19·9	37·5	25·1	29·1	24·6	45·5	
West Africa(4)	75·1	68·5	65·9		13·9	23·4	15·2	15·0	15·4	27·2	
British West Indies and Bermuda	101·2	124·4	132·6		24·9	42·9	32·1	18·6	28·9	52·0	
India, Pakistan and Ceylon	116·7	142·6	152·6		33·4	39·5	42·1	37·2	35·8	44·4	
Japan	11·9	16·7	19·5		4·8	6·0	5·2	4·4	6·7	10·2	
Others	211·9	258·3	322·8		68·9	107·1	78·1	100·8	76·2	116·9	

(1) Excluding passengers to and from the Irish Republic.
(2) Passengers to and from North Africa and Middle East countries have been attributed to the European continent and Mediterranean Sea area.
(3) Includes Hovercraft passengers from 1 April 1969.
(4) Commonwealth countries only.

Source: Board of Trade

Value of the external trade of the United Kingdom

TABLE 125 — Monthly averages or calendar months — £ million

	Imports (c.i.f.)							Exports of United Kingdom produce (f.o.b.)					
	Total		Food, beverages and tobacco	Basic materials	Fuels	Manufactured goods		Total		Manufactured goods			
	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted (1)				Manufactures largely for further processing	Finished manufactures	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted	Chemicals	Classified chiefly by material	Machinery and transport equipment	Other
S.I.T.C. Section			0 and 1	2 and 4	3	5 and 6	7 and 8			5	6	7	8
1964	474·7		147·6	93·2	48·6	110·3	69·7	380·4		34·8	96·9	155·4	27·3
1965	479·3		142·3	92·4	50·8	114·2	73·5	408·4		37·6	103·7	169·0	30·9
1966	495·8		142·6	88·4	52·1	123·3	82·6	437·9		40·0	107·3	185·8	32·8
1967	536·4		146·9	84·3	60·8	133·3	103·7	435·8		41·7	107·5	180·6	35·7
1968	658·1		158·3	100·6	75·1	176·6	137·7	536·2		50·6	134·2	221·4	44·9
1969	693·6		161·2	104·5	75·9	191·9	152·8	611·5		57·8	155·9	252·6	54·9
1967 1st quarter	536·8	525	149·4	82·6	59·1	137·3	98·3	461·7	465	43·7	115·6	195·0	34·2
2nd quarter	540·3	525	152·8	84·0	52·0	136·6	109·5	462·9	443	46·2	112·2	196·6	36·1
3rd quarter	508·0	515	136·5	85·6	60·0	122·5	96·9	410·8	438	39·5	102·7	166·1	37·4
4th quarter	560·5	566	148·6	85·2	72·0	136·7	110·2	407·8	398	37·7	99·5	164·6	35·0
1968 1st quarter	665·1	641	170·3	94·9	73·8	181·2	132·3	522·3	521	48·3	131·9	222·1	40·7
2nd quarter	646·1	633	154·3	101·3	79·0	172·7	129·8	522·3	506	51·9	128·9	220·1	41·8
3rd quarter	649·3	654	146·7	104·7	73·5	178·5	137·4	524·3	550	50·5	135·3	206·8	47·0
4th quarter	672·0	657	162·1	101·6	74·3	174·1	151·4	575·7	567	51·8	140·6	236·5	50·0
1969 1st quarter	687·2	660	164·1	102·3	82·6	186·5	142·0	555·5	565	51·8	147·9	229·5	45·4
2nd quarter	706·0	678	164·8	102·9	75·1	190·7	166·1	618·8	596	58·9	151·8	265·5	52·6
3rd quarter	676·7	680	150·2	106·7	69·5	195·3	148·4	611·3	637	58·9	156·7	249·8	58·5
4th quarter	704·6	693	165·6	106·1	76·3	195·1	154·8	660·3	648	61·7	167·3	265·5	63·2
1968 Oct.	718·2	667	177·2	108·9	83·1	192·3	150·0	539·8	553	48·6	138·7	213·9	51·3
Nov.	686·1	652	166·5	98·9	68·7	173·8	171·0	629·2	588	55·6	160·9	254·1	53·4
Dec.	627·6	650	151·6	102·7	76·6	158·2	130·5	548·1	558	50·4	122·1	230·2	49·4
1969 January	735·8	652	176·0	115·4	88·7	192·3	147·9	571·6	582	51·4	151·4	236·2	46·9
February	638·9	660	147·7	94·8	78·7	173·8	136·1	523·6	545	51·2	137·0	215·5	43·3
March	687·9	669	169·6	97·4	80·2	193·5	141·2	570·5	569	52·8	155·5	236·1	46·0
April	709·3	675	179·4	101·4	77·7	183·7	160·5	579·8	568	57·4	149·2	235·5	51·4
May	726·7	660	157·7	105·3	77·6	200·4	180·0	635·1	594	60·9	144·2	283·0	52·0
June	694·1	701	162·8	104·7	72·3	190·8	156·8	639·4	626	58·8	161·8	276·4	54·0
July	747·1	687	167·8	113·3	76·7	211·3	171·8	637·4	602	60·7	157·4	274·6	56·5
August	647·3	671	134·2	110·7	68·4	187·8	140·1	597·1	661	56·7	157·6	242·3	57·9
September	646·2	683	152·9	98·1	66·3	190·2	131·9	598·3	648	59·8	154·5	231·7	61·0
October	753·5	689	171·4	115·0	84·3	201·1	175·2	623·2	646	63·5	147·6	246·8	63·4
November	665·0	689	160·1	96·2	69·7	181·0	151·3	693·5	651	61·5	181·4	281·5	64·5
December	708·9	702	169·6	109·0	77·7	208·9	136·9	658·9	645	60·1	173·0	266·0	58·8
1970 January	742·6	692	178·7	115·5	83·0	204·3	146·6	638·4	663	60·1	161·9	260·9	57·0
February													
March													

(1) Excluding U.S. military aircraft, etc.

Source: Board of Trade

Import and export volume index numbers

TABLE 126

1961 = 100

	Imports							Exports							
						Manufactured goods				Manufactured goods					
	Total	Excluding U.S. military aircraft etc.	Food, beverages and tobacco	Basic materials	Fuels	Total	Excl. U.S. military aircraft etc.	Total	Non-manufactures	Total	Chemicals	Textiles	Metals	Machinery and transport equipment	Oth
S.I.T.C. Section and Division			0 and 1	2 and 4	3	5 to 8			0 to 4	5 to 8	5	65	67 to 69	7	
Weights	*1,000*		*327*	*222*	*106*	*337*		*1,000*	*145*	*824*	*84*	*63*	*121*	*417*	*139*
1966	122		100	102	154	146		121	117	121	140	99	105	121	134
1967	132	131	104	101	165	168	165	119	119	119	149	95	108	114	136
1968	146	143	107	111	175	195	188	136	136	136	169	111	119	131	158
1969	149	146	103	108	188	207	197	150	138	153	186	123	126	148	187
Unadjusted															
1968 1st qtr. ...	149		116	109	171	198		134	128	136	167	107	118	133	152
2nd qtr. ...	144		104	112	186	189		133	125	134	174	107	121	131	147
3rd qtr. ...	143		102	114	175	191		132	139	131	164	109	114	120	166
4th qtr. ...	147		110	111	180	196		142	152	140	169	120	123	134	168
1969 1st qtr. ...	148		106	109	198	198		136	122	138	166	112	113	132	173
2nd qtr. ...	152		107	108	186	215		152	141	155	188	124	125	154	179
3rd qtr. ...	145		99	109	176	204		150	134	154	187	120	125	146	196
4th qtr. ...	150		105	109	197	205		160	154	161	196	135	140	154	194
1968 November ...	149		111	106	162	209		157	166	155	183	128	142	147	189
December ...	137		100	111	182	175		135	147	132	165	118	113	131	139
1969 January ...	159		114	123	211	206		139	126	141	165	116	117	134	176
February ...	139		95	100	189	189		129	117	131	164	107	105	124	163
March ...	148		110	105	194	201		139	123	143	168	114	118	137	182
April ...	152		113	107	188	209		142	136	145	182	114	118	136	186
May ...	155		102	108	192	227		156	148	159	195	133	135	164	153
June... ...	149		106	108	179	209		158	140	162	189	125	123	162	198
July	159		108	115	191	227		157	133	161	193	122	128	160	194
August ...	139		88	113	170	196		146	128	151	180	119	122	142	200
September ...	137		99	99	166	188		147	140	149	189	120	125	136	195
October ...	160		108	117	213	222		153	160	152	202	132	137	144	168
November ...	140		101	99	178	191		168	155	170	195	140	147	162	215
December ...	149		106	111	199	202		160	148	162	191	134	136	155	200
1970 January ...	156		110	116	213	205		151	144	153	191	131	128	145	183
Seasonally adjusted															
1968 1st qtr. ...	146	144	113	109	162	195	191	134	132	135	167	108	120	131	153
2nd qtr. ...	143	141	106	112	178	185	179	130	126	131	168	106	117	125	150
3rd qtr. ...	147	144	105	113	180	197	190	139	147	138	171	113	121	131	165
4th qtr. ...	148	144	106	112	184	202	190	140	140	140	169	115	119	135	163
1969 1st qtr. ...	146	143	103	110	192	198	187	138	128	140	170	116	118	131	180
2nd qtr. ...	151	146	109	108	181	210	197	148	141	151	181	123	120	147	185
3rd qtr. ...	149	146	102	107	181	210	201	158	141	162	195	125	131	159	193
4th qtr. ...	149	147	100	108	200	208	204	157	143	158	196	129	134	154	183
1968 November ...	151	143	104	109	174	216	192	145	144	145	173	116	130	140	170
December ...	146	143	105	113	191	197	187	137	139	137	170	117	114	134	154
1969 January ...	145	141	102	108	191	192	181	143	131	143	171	121	122	133	183
February ...	148	143	100	111	192	205	191	132	123	135	171	112	111	126	173
March ...	147	146	107	111	191	196	190	141	131	142	167	115	119	134	183
April ...	149	146	112	109	178	204	194	141	140	142	176	113	115	134	183
May ...	148	142	100	103	175	214	195	147	142	148	181	126	121	145	173
June... ...	155	151	114	113	190	214	203	156	141	163	187	129	125	162	193
July	151	147	107	107	185	213	200	150	137	154	191	117	121	151	183
August ...	149	145	97	109	182	213	202	164	148	169	200	130	138	166	203
September ..	147	145	103	106	177	205	200	159	139	164	195	127	135	159	203
October ...	150	147	96	111	204	209	202	158	152	158	203	128	133	152	183
November ...	147	145	98	106	200	205	200	157	139	159	190	129	135	155	183
December ...	150	149	104	106	196	211	209	155	137	159	194	129	134	155	183
1970 January ...	147	147	104	108	197	199	198	159	152	159	201	138	136	149	193

Source: Board of Trad

Value of exports of produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom(1)

TABLE 127 — Monthly averages or calendar months — £ thousand

	1967	1968	1969	1969					1970
				1st quarter	2nd quarter	3rd quarter	4th quarter	Dec.	Jan.
0. Food and live animals	15,511	16,184	18,275	15,612	17,457	17,992	22,037	23,384	19,187
00. Live animals	2,138	1,671	2,407	1,744	1,956	2,584	3,343	4,349	2,962
02. Dairy products and eggs	1,001	1,130	1,206	1,133	1,221	1,170	1,300	1,416	866
03. Fish and fish preparations	865	1,022	1,352	1,134	1,239	1,476	1,561	1,836	1,319
04. Cereals and cereal preparations	3,421	3,373	2,211	1,968	2,339	2,172	2,363	2,002	2,182
05. Fruit and vegetables	1,294	1,561	1,750	1,735	1,439	1,227	2,600	2,970	2,303
06. Sugar, sugar preparations and honey	1,992	2,086	2,364	1,857	2,516	2,395	2,690	2,516	2,061
07. Coffee, cocoa preparations, tea and spices	2,105	2,777	3,280	2,760	3,056	3,386	3,916	4,125	3,446
01, 08 and 09. Other food and food preparations	2,606	2,565	3,705	3,281	3,692	3,582	4,265	4,168	4,049
1. Beverages and tobacco	14,118	19,668	19,529	13,426	21,169	19,507	24,012	22,072	16,568
11. Beverages	12,062	17,045	16,516	10,725	18,135	16,438	20,765	19,072	13,638
12. Tobacco	2,056	2,623	3,013	2,701	3,034	3,069	3,248	3,000	2,930
2. Crude materials, inedible	15,478	18,754	19,990	18,700	21,603	19,019	20,638	18,253	23,607
23. Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)	1,092	1,450	1,698	1,570	1,673	1,555	1,993	1,904	1,654
26. Textile fibres, not manufactured and their waste	6,679	7,768	8,489	7,944	9,622	8,132	8,259	7,662	7,751
27. Crude fertilizers and minerals	2,169	2,776	3,117	2,791	2,978	3,240	3,457	3,203	3,309
Other crude materials	5,539	6,760	6,686	6,394	7,330	6,091	6,929	5,482	10,893
3. Mineral fuels, lubricants etc,	11,037	13,986	14,417	15,565	13,774	13,609	14,720	14,479	18,617
33. Petroleum and petroleum products	9,845	12,379	12,271	13,625	11,753	11,505	12,200	11,887	16,302
Coal, coke, gas and electric energy	1,192	1,607	2,146	1,940	2,020	2,103	2,520	2,592	2,315
4. Animal and vegetable oils and fats	511	613	758	570	743	882	835	788	684
5. Chemicals	41,662	50,624	57,838	51,777	58,940	58,917	61,718	60,125	60,114
51. Chemical elements and compounds	10,128	12,908	14,159	12,428	14,164	14,983	15,059	14,652	15,646
53. Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	4,771	5,758	6,388	5,722	6,502	6,326	7,000	6,944	6,355
54. Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	6,565	8,081	9,913	8,968	10,022	10,166	10,498	10,641	10,675
55. Essential oils and perfume materials	3,713	4,469	5,196	4,419	5,108	5,483	5,774	5,556	4,821
57. Explosives and pyrotechnic products	735	950	1,008	1,034	1,027	1,073	896	1,021	816
58. Plastic materials and artificial resins	7,934	9,275	10,793	9,630	11,257	10,539	11,746	11,087	11,138
All other	7,816	9,183	10,382	9,577	10,860	10,346	10,745	10,224	10,663
6. Manufactured goods classified chiefly by materials	107,530	134,181	155,921	147,943	151,767	156,679	167,295	172,993	161,944
61. Leather manufactures and dressed furs	2,801	3,835	4,256	3,804	4,843	4,056	4,320	4,032	4,363
62. Rubber manufactures, not elsewhere specified	4,518	5,136	6,083	5,435	5,950	6,258	6,689	6,820	7,219
64. Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	4,500	5,545	6,606	5,977	6,475	6,372	7,600	7,834	6,937
65. Textile yarn, fabrics and articles	21,538	25,777	30,047	27,154	30,249	29,667	33,119	33,053	32,140
66. Non-metallic mineral manufactures	23,021	31,346	37,893	41,320	34,824	40,322	35,106	41,514	34,755
67. Iron and steel	19,142	22,217	23,933	19,195	22,400	24,430	29,700	29,689	26,131
68. Non-ferrous metals	18,649	24,337	28,442	28,918	27,993	26,923	29,933	29,595	30,315
63 and 69. Other wood and metal manufactures	13,372	15,989	18,661	16,140	19,025	18,652	20,827	20,456	20,085
7. Machinery and transport equipment	180,576	221,383	252,585	229,521	265,480	249,830	265,512	266,011	260,877
71. Machinery other than electric	89,096	109,141	121,825	111,443	123,472	119,015	133,370	136,584	129,378
72. Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	29,899	35,272	40,337	35,523	41,378	38,666	45,780	47,721	44,314
73. Transport equipment	61,581	76,970	90,424	82,556	100,630	92,148	86,362	81,706	87,185
8. Miscellaneous manufactured articles	35,686	44,872	54,909	45,423	52,568	58,460	63,182	58,753	57,011
81. Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fittings	934	1,159	1,452	1,320	1,410	1,366	1,711	1,749	1,538
82. Furniture	1,226	1,487	1,943	1,649	2,001	1,863	2,261	2,423	1,902
84. Clothing	5,356	7,039	9,041	6,632	7,676	10,736	11,119	9,138	7,315
85. Footwear	1,678	2,185	2,819	2,056	2,428	3,272	3,519	3,105	2,529
86. Professional, scientific and controlling instruments, photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	10,689	12,919	15,693	14,043	15,763	16,037	16,930	17,284	17,429
Other	15,804	20,084	21,960	19,723	23,290	25,186	27,641	25,056	26,298
5–8. Manufactured goods	365,464	451,060	521,253	474,664	528,755	523,886	557,708	557,882	539,946
9. Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind	13,677	15,896	17,246	16,909	15,318	16,382	20,375	22,048	19,753
Total United Kingdom exports	435,796	536,161	611,467	555,446	618,820	611,278	660,326	658,905	638,363

(1) The numbers on the left hand side of the table refer to the Section and Division code numbers of the *Standard International Trade Classification, Revised.*

Source: Board of Trade

Imports into the United Kingdom

Analysis by area and country
Monthly averages or calendar months

TABLE 128 — £ million

	North America			Western Europe											
	Canada	U.S.A. and dependencies	Latin America	Total	of which E.F.T.A. area(1)	of which E.E.C.	Finland	Sweden	Denmark	Western Germany	Netherlands	Belgium and Luxembourg	France	Italy	Other (1)
1966	35·5	60·3	23·5	172·3	70·1	92·0	10·2	18·1	17·2	25·2	24·3	11·0	17·7	13·9	34·8
1967	38·0	67·7	24·4	195·0	78·5	105·4	10·8	20·6	18·1	28·3	27·4	12·2	21·3	16·3	40·0
1968	42·8	88·8	26·5	240·2	96·8	129·3	13·4	26·2	19·9	36·4	32·8	14·5	26·0	19·7	51·4
1969	42·2	94·2	29·6	252·6	104·0	134·2	14·5	27·7	20·4	38·9	34·1	15·6	27·0	18·6	55·7
1968 October	47·2	91·9	29·2	270·0	110·0	142·6	15·8	28·7	23·6	38·4	38·6	17·0	29·4	19·3	59·4
November	42·4	120·6	26·3	251·8	103·2	130·3	12·5	26·6	20·0	36·8	35·1	15·4	25·6	17·3	62·4
December	37·6	84·2	22·3	238·3	91·2	130·8	13·9	25·5	18·0	44·3	32·5	13·2	24·3	16·6	50·1
1969 January	45·4	87·5	29·6	270·6	107·1	144·8	15·2	30·5	21·7	40·0	36·7	15·7	30·1	22·3	58·3
February	41·7	62·8	29·0	233·9	91·0	127·9	10·7	24·8	17·8	31·9	35·4	14·4	27·0	19·2	52·7
March ...	40·9	76·7	36·5	247·4	99·6	131·8	11·4	25·3	19·7	36·2	33·3	15·0	28·6	18·7	59·3
April ...	47·4	107·9	28·8	249·6	102·3	132·4	11·8	29·6	18·8	35·9	36·2	14·7	26·7	18·9	57·1
May ...	47·1	117·0	33·5	250·2	102·4	135·5	13·5	28·7	18·9	39·1	39·3	14·2	24·5	18·4	53·5
June ...	52·3	100·5	26·6	249·3	101·8	135·1	14·2	27·8	21·1	37·4	33·0	17·1	27·5	20·1	51·0
July ...	45·5	102·6	34·8	274·3	115·5	145·7	16·7	30·7	22·6	41·6	38·2	16·5	28·0	21·4	58·5
August ...	38·4	89·4	32·2	232·8	97·6	122·1	17·0	23·8	19·9	34·9	29·0	13·0	25·5	19·7	50·0
September	35·2	84·8	28·4	230·7	101·7	118·2	15·6	27·1	20·4	35·6	31·9	15·5	19·0	16·2	49·5
October	37·7	111·5	27·8	287·6	120·5	153·1	17·9	30·4	23·6	52·1	35·3	17·7	29·8	18·4	62·5
November	29·1	93·9	20·4	257·5	102·5	137·1	14·6	26·4	20·9	41·7	32·0	16·3	31·3	15·8	58·6
December	49·0	94·9	29·3	259·1	107·7	133·2	15·6	28·3	19·8	40·7	32·8	17·4	27·1	15·2	62·2
1970 January	50·4	94·0	28·1	271·4	111·3	141·8	16·9	27·2	22·4	40·9	33·3	16·9	30·8	19·7	63·3

	Sterling area											Soviet Union and Eastern Europe	Rest of the world	Common wealth countries
	Total	Australia	New Zealand	India	Ceylon	Malaysia (including Singapore)	Nigeria	Zambia, Malawi, and S. Rhodesia	Irish Republic	Republic of South Africa	Other			
1966	148·0	17·3	15·6	9·9	3·0	4·0	9·4	7·4	15·5	16·0	49·8	20·1	36·1	136·8
1967	147·0	14·5	15·5	10·5	3·3	3·8	6·6	6·7	18·7	18·3	49·1	21·1	43·3	132·9
1968	187·8	17·6	16·4	11·3	3·3	5·2	5·9	8·4	22·6	22·7	74·6	25·2	46·8	155·8
1969	201·3	19·8	18·0	8·9	2·8	5·4	8·7	9·7	24·7	25·2	77·5	27·7	46·7	161·1
1968 October	203·3	17·5	13·2	15·2	2·6	6·1	7·4	12·0	25·3	23·3	80·7	28·0	48·8	169·1
Nov. ...	175·0	15·9	15·3	12·5	2·5	5·0	4·9	6·3	24·1	21·6	67·0	24·2	45·8	144·8
Dec. ...	165·6	15·1	14·6	9·8	2·5	4·8	8·6	5·5	22·0	12·0	70·6	31·5	48·0	143·6
1969 January	222·8	23·3	20·9	10·5	3·5	5·9	12·3	10·0	24·7	26·5	85·1	33·1	46·9	178·5
February	200·2	21·1	23·5	7·7	2·7	5·4	7·7	8·9	20·6	22·3	80·3	25·1	46·3	166·8
March ...	216·5	18·5	24·9	7·8	3·1	5·5	11·8	11·3	23·3	27·4	83·0	22·1	47·8	174·7
April ...	199·3	15·7	25·7	7·7	2·7	4·7	10·9	5·8	23·4	26·4	76·3	22·8	53·5	170·3
May ...	206·1	21·0	16·7	10·2	2·6	5·2	10·8	7·9	24·8	27·3	79·6	25·4	47·4	167·5
June ...	194·0	18·5	15·5	8·3	3·2	3·8	7·2	8·8	25·0	26·6	77·1	29·1	42·2	166·6
July ...	210·2	21·1	19·9	10·4	3·8	5·5	6·5	9·6	27·5	23·0	84·9	33·9	43·8	172·9
August	171·0	13·4	10·4	7·8	3·0	5·0	8·1	9·9	20·6	26·2	66·7	35·7	47·8	133·1
Sept. ...	197·4	22·2	10·9	11·5	2·1	5·2	7·2	13·1	27·5	26·1	71·8	26·9	42·8	150·3
October	211·4	15·5	13·4	9·2	1·8	6·5	7·7	13·6	29·7	23·6	90·4	28·3	49·1	152·0
Nov. ...	189·5	21·4	14·2	9·0	2·4	5·6	8·9	13·6	24·8	25·8	63·9	26·6	48·1	143·2
Dec. ...	196·7	23·6	21·4	7·9	2·3	6·1	5·8	5·7	25·3	22·0	76·6	32·8	47·1	165·7
1970 January	219·7	29·3	24·4	8·4	1·7	6·2	8·7	9·7	26·6	22·0	82·7	25·9	51·5	186·7

(1) From January 1969 trade with Faroe Islands, previously included with Other Western Europe, is now included in E.F.T.A.

Source: Board of Trade

Exports of United Kingdom produce and manufactures

Analysis by area and country

TABLE 129

Monthly averages or calendar months

£ million

	North America		Latin America	Western Europe											
	Canada	U.S.A. and dependencies		Total	of which E.F.T.A. area(1)	of which E.E.C.	Finland	Sweden	Denmark	Western Germany	Netherlands	Belgium and Luxembourg	France	Italy	Other (1)
1966	18·7	54·5	13·5	167·7	63·6	87·2	6·4	19·7	11·4	24·1	17·3	15·6	17·8	12·4	43·0
1967	18·4	53·5	14·2	168·2	65·2	87·0	6·1	18·8	12·2	23·1	17·2	15·3	18·2	13·2	44·2
1968	22·3	76·3	19·1	200·2	74·1	108·0	6·7	22·0	13·7	30·3	21·3	20·3	21·2	14·9	49·9
1969	25·9	76·0	20·7	239·1	90·1	127·2	8·5	25·2	16·4	34·6	24·6	24·3	26·1	17·5	61·9
1968 October	22·4	80·1	23·3	201·5	72·7	110·5	6·4	21·9	12·7	31·0	24·1	20·0	20·4	15·0	50·1
November	31·2	89·6	22·1	239·7	83·8	135·1	8·0	26·1	16·2	37·9	29·2	24·9	24·7	18·5	54·1
December	22·6	72·8	20·7	203·8	78·5	105·0	6·4	23·2	14·2	30·1	19·9	15·3	24·7	15·0	55·0
1969 January	23·3	62·7	21·0	220·2	84·5	116·6	7·4	26·1	16·0	30·1	21·6	23·4	25·8	15·8	54·1
February	22·2	51·9	16·0	207·6	76·6	111·9	6·5	22·5	14·8	30·0	21·8	23·8	22·7	13·6	51·9
March ...	28·0	65.6	17·8	231·1	84·4	124·1	7·1	22·1	16·4	31·3	21·7	26·2	27·0	17·9	61·4
April ...	23·8	73·6	18·8	227·8	86·2	121·0	8·0	24·6	14·8	32·2	22·6	23·9	27·6	14·8	59·3
May ...	30·5	83·2	22·2	253·3	99·8	129·3	9·3	27·6	17·3	37·3	24·7	17·4	28·2	21·6	69·9
June ...	28·6	88·5	17·7	246·4	91·0	131·3	10·1	24·8	16·3	35·0	23·6	24·3	30·0	18·4	63·9
July ...	29·9	83·7	18·8	253·5	92·7	137·6	9·0	26·5	16·6	35·4	29·4	27·7	27·1	17·8	63·8
August ...	26·0	80·1	18·6	220·1	85·1	114·5	8·0	23·4	16·1	32·8	21·5	21·8	21·9	16·6	58·2
September	24·9	78·9	20·5	236·1	88·4	125·7	8·0	23·9	15·6	32·9	26·1	26·0	24·4	16·3	63·0
October	22·9	74·8	22·0	250·3	96·5	131·9	9·2	25·7	17·5	41·8	26·6	18·5	25·8	19·3	66·0
November	21·1	92·0	26·5	263·1	101·2	139·1	9·7	28·9	17·9	36·8	28·1	28·2	26·2	19·7	67·5
December	23·2	76·0	27·7	258·1	93·8	142·7	9·5	26·1	16·8	40·0	27·7	30·4	26·2	18·3	62·9
1970 January	20·1	74·9	23·5	263·7	101·4	139·9	9·5	29·2	18·2	38·3	30·5	25·5	25·6	20·1	66·8

	Sterling area											Soviet Union and Eastern Europe	Rest of the world	Commonwealth countries
	Total	Australia	New Zealand	India	Ceylon	Malaysia (including Singapore)	Nigeria	Zambia, Malawi, and S. Rhodesia	Irish Republic	Republic of S. Africa	Other			
1966	135·1	21·5	10·7	8·1	2·0	7·6	5·6	2·7	16·0	20·6	40·4	12·6	35·9	111·1
1967	130·4	21·4	8·4	7·0	1·7	6·7	5·0	2·7	16·7	21·8	39·1	14·6	34·6	104·0
1968	150·7	26·7	8·7	6·1	1·9	7·4	4·9	3·6	23·2	22·2	45·8	19·2	48·5	120·0
1969	170·1	26·9	10·2	5·6	2·4	8·2	6·6	3·6	28·1	24·4	54·0	19·3	60·4	133·4
1968 October	143·3	22·8	7·5	5·0	2·5	6.7	4·1	2·9	25·0	21·8	44·9	19·2	50·0	110·9
November	163·8	26·7	9·5	5·6	2·0	7·1	5·9	3·6	29·8	21·2	52·4	22·5	60·3	136·2
December	156·9	21·9	8·7	5·1	2·0	7·5	6·8	2·8	27·1	21·6	53·4	20·2	51·1	123·4
1969 January	158·5	25·5	9·7	5·2	2·2	7·7	6·8	3·6	24·7	23·2	49·9	23·9	62·0	125·1
February	152·6	27·0	9·8	5·6	2·8	6·7	7·2	3·5	25·0	21·2	43·8	14·4	58·9	121·6
March ...	152·7	25·2	8·2	5·2	1·9	6·2	5·2	3·3	24·3	23·8	49·0	16·4	58·9	122·1
April ...	164·9	28·2	10·3	4·1	2·6	8·7	6·6	3·5	26·9	23·5	50·5	15·2	55·8	128·8
May ...	173·1	23·5	9·7	8·7	1·7	7·5	6·0	3·8	29·8	25·4	56·9	19·7	53·0	138·3
June ...	176·0	26·9	10·9	6·1	2·6	7·9	6·8	4·4	30·4	24·3	55·7	17·3	64·9	137·6
July ...	172·2	26·6	9·5	6·1	4·6	7·8	6·1	3·6	29·2	22·3	56·5	20·2	59·1	137·7
August ...	167·5	27·5	10·6	4·3	2·3	8·8	6·4	3·1	26·5	24·5	53·6	22·4	62·4	132·2
September	166·8	27·7	10·6	5·3	2·2	8·0	6·4	3·3	26·2	25·4	51·8	14·9	56·2	129·5
October	177·3	27·0	9·9	6·3	2·1	9·1	6·6	3·3	29·8	27·1	56·0	20·5	55·4	135·3
November	186·8	24·7	11·5	5·2	1·8	10·5	8·1	4·0	32·5	26·6	61·8	23·2	74·9	145·3
December	188·5	30·1	11·2	5·0	2·6	9·6	7·4	3·8	31·8	25·2	61·6	22·5	63·0	143·9
1970 January...	166·3	28·1	7·1	5·3	2·1	7·5	8·3	3·9	26·4	25·0	52·6	24·9	62·0	127·2

(1) See corresponding footnote on Table 128.

Source: Board of Trade

Imports of principal items of food

Monthly averages or calendar months

TABLE 130

Thousand tons

		Meat(1)	Bacon	Canned meat	Butter	Cheese	Eggs in shell Million dozen	Wheat	Barley	Maize	Flour	Oranges	Bananas	Apples
1966	... ...	59·6	33·1	12·9	37·9	11·8	1·65	333·8	10·5	269·9	16·4	34·5	30·3	22·4
1967	... ...	60·2	33·5	14·8	40·3	13·1	2·23	313·8	18·2	305·0	7·7	33·8	29·0	23·8
1968	... ...	60·8	33·8	14·3	37·2	14·8	1·70	336·2	5·9	310·4	6·2	33·9	28·4	24·6
1969	... ...	69·1	32·1	12·6	35·1	12·8	1·46	388·8	53·4	258·8	6·5	34·6	29·3	23·8
1969	January	83·0	35·1	12·1	47·3	17·6	1·36	395·0	0·9	413·0	6·0	56·7	27·8	26·0
	February ...	75·6	29·9	10·7	44·3	14·3	2·41	365·8	40·9	127·2	3·6	57·0	19·9	20·3
	March	90·4	31·1	12·9	39·8	16·3	1·64	422·6	32·5	222·2	7·1	50·4	31·2	35·4
	April	79·8	31·9	13·2	43·7	16·6	1·91	423·1	37·5	273·5	8·7	50·3	30·5	45·6
	May	57·2	29·5	13·4	34·5	10·4	1·64	411·3	55·9	313·2	5·9	27·1	34·6	39·9
	June	64·3	37·7	13·3	19·6	9·6	1·37	420·4	147·7	264·7	6·9	23·9	31·5	37·2
	July	79·8	34·0	16·0	28·3	7·0	1·94	453·0	150·6	218·0	7·9	24·6	40·9	30·6
	August	60·6	30·6	13·5	18·4	9·5	1·00	462·1	35·0	160·3	6·0	20·6	28·8	2·3
	September ...	59·1	31·9	11·9	23·6	11·1	1·21	304·1	10·2	221·3	4·4	24·8	26·7	4·6
	October	56·1	35·4	13·3	29·5	12·4	0·96	365·0	26·1	254·0	7·6	8·4	31·7	19·2
	November ...	59·0	31·9	12·1	36·0	14·9	0·75	280·5	53·8	302·9	5·2	24·4	26·9	14·7
	December ...	66·3	30·3	9·3	58·2	14·8	1·30	387·3	49·9	370·0	9·5	52·6	26·6	10·0
1970	January	76·1	34·0	11·7	50·4	16·9	1·23	468·2	50·8	285·2	7·0	59·0	22·3	20·4
	February... ...													
	March													

		Dried fruit	Tinned or bottled fruit	Tomatoes	Unrefined sugar	Coffee	Raw cocoa	Tea and maté	Oilcake and meal	Margarine and shortenings	Oil-seeds and nuts	Whale and fish oils	Vegetable oil
1966	... ...	11·4	30·1	12·9	176·6	6·8	8·8	19·1	86·7	15·5	68·2	14·8	34·3
1967	... ...	11·1	28·9	13·0	175·3	6·7	7·3	20·3	78·1	15·6	57·4	23·5	33·4
1968	... ...	11·5	30·7	14·0	163·2	7·8	6·3	22·1	81·1	16·0	55·7	18·5	39·7
1969	... ...	11·2	29·2	13·2	171·8	8·6	8·4	17·4	76·8	14·8	56·1	16·4	42·8
1969	January ...	11·1	27·7	21·4	268·8	8·0	15·8	22·8	69·4	8·2	57·1	9·5	44·9
	February ...	6·0	23·9	14·7	202·0	8·3	17·9	17·4	69·5	15·7	32·5	5·5	44·4
	March ...	7·1	25·3	16·9	165·7	10·1	19·1	20·4	76·7	15·5	47·4	13·8	53·9
	April ...	10·2	24·1	13·5	199·5	9·2	21·6	16·9	86·1	14·0	74·6	7·5	41·8
	May	10·9	33·9	12·9	154·5	6·8	10·1	15·8	57·9	18·5	50·9	18·9	34·1
	June... ...	13·3	33·2	12·6	129·7	8·3	1·9	18·7	74·0	16·9	51·9	13·3	46·3
	July ...	13·6	37·3	11·1	155·3	8·8	5·5	15·8	59·3	14·2	45·3	18·8	39·3
	August ...	13·3	30·2	4·6	104·3	10·0	1·9	14·8	62·2	12·6	40·4	34·2	45·7
	September...	13·7	32·3	3·0	223·4	6·8	0·6	21·1	85·5	16·3	48·8	17·9	34·0
	October ...	16·5	30·4	6·9	192·0	12·4	0·2	14·3	92·4	14·9	69·3	29·9	46·6
	November ...	10·1	31·0	22·2	165·1	8·9	0·5	17·1	94·3	15·3	81·8	18·1	37·7
	December ...	8·8	20·8	19·7	120·0	5·7	5·4	15·3	96·8	17·6	85·7	10·3	45·2
1970	January ...	11·1	40·0	15·4	217·9	6·7	10·1	14·8	86·5	14·3	65·6	17·3	49·1
	February ...												
	March ...												

(1) Beef, veal, mutton, lamb, pork and offal; fresh, salted, chilled and frozen.

Source: Board of Trade

TABLE 131

Imports of ores and metals

Monthly averages or calendar months

Thousand tons

	Ores and concentrates							Iron and steel		Unwrought copper	Unwrought aluminium	Lead and lead alloys	Zinc and zinc alloys
	Iron	Nickel	Bauxite	Zinc	Tin	Manganese	Titanium	Total	Ferro-alloys				
1966	1,329	4·84	40·3	19·6	4·6	30·4	21·8	130	22	41·9	28·4	17·1	15·4
1967	1,340	4·88	37·6	21·2	5·2	33·7	22·3	180	21	37·0	25·2	15·1	13·4
1968	1,466	4·86	36·3	27·5	5·6	39·5	22·6	221	23	37·6	29·6	17·8	14·2
1969	1,515	3·87	39·2	27·4	6·2	35·9	25·0	229	27	37·9	29·3	18·9	13·5
1969 January	1,586	7·39	53·1	33·8	6·6	26·2	28·3	236	26	40·7	31·0	16·0	14·7
February ...	1,311	9·42	32·2	38·7	6·5	65·0	49·5	209	25	41·0	29·9	21·2	13·6
March	1,586	4·13	42·1	5·0	7·0	20·7	10·6	202	24	48·3	26·7	21·6	17·0
April	1,594	4·39	43·2	34·6	3·1	43·7	30·6	253	29	33·8	31·6	18·2	15·5
May	1,456	9·60	48·0	30·3	6·9	22·8	23·7	236	28	39·1	28·3	18·1	16·0
June	1,486	6·69	37·1	10·5	3·6	56·2	21·1	251	34	35·0	26·5	10·2	13·6
July	1,553	4·79	—	62·5	7·8	40·0	15·4	264	28	40·9	31·7	22·6	14·7
August	1,567	1·91	63·7	4·0	9·9	21·9	30·7	228	27	36·2	27·9	16·1	11·7
September ...	1,407	—	28·4	12·3	4·1	42·6	23·2	203	25	39·3	31·6	24·6	16·1
October	1,619	0·02	53·3	50·2	10·0	31·9	13·4	239	31	35·8	34·0	19·5	12·6
November ...	1,686	0·29	28·2	9·1	2·5	46·3	21·0	179	23	35·5	25·8	18·5	9·1
December ...	1,404	0·05	40·7	40·9	6·8	15·3	24·1	249	27	32·7	29·0	20·8	8·2
1970 January	1,449	1·81	33·7	30·2	6·1	66·6	25·8	200	26	32·0	28·7	25·8	15·2
February... ...													
March													

Source: Board of Trade

Other selected imports

TABLE 132

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Rubber (1)	Timber			Wood pulp	Petroleum		Paper and board		Jute	Sheep's and lambs' wool(3)	Raw cotton (3)	Woven cotton fabrics, grey, unbleached
		Non-coniferous (2)	Coniferous (2)	Plywood		Crude and partly refined	Refined	Newsprint	Other				
	Thousand tons	Million cubic feet	Thousand standards	Thousand cu. metres	Thousand tons						Million lb.	Thousand tons	Million sq. yards
1966	20·0	3·36	140·8	64	239	5,846	1,766	53·0	122·2	9·2	43·5	17·1	37·8
1967	20·8	3·10	150·2	83	233	6,103	1,948	50·0	146·7	9·7	43·1	13·7	42·2
1968	22·0	3·55	163·4	90	245	6,773	1,799	56·3	156·6	9·6	45·4	15·6	45·8
1969	23·5	3·14	138·7	80	243	7,756	1,652	62·9	160·4	7·2	43·2	13·2	35·0
1969 January ...	27·3	3·71	139·3	93	286	8,380	2,189	75·8	158·9	9·4	51·2	16·4	32·5
February ...	22·5	3·55	85·3	73	227	7,586	1,842	39·5	139·1	14·1	45·6	12·9	36·5
March ...	27·4	3·39	76·8	80	236	8,013	1,621	75·8	158·5	10·5	60·1	10·0	34·9
April ...	27·2	3·44	87·7	81	233	7,856	1,504	59·5	165·2	7·0	50·3	15·0	27·5
May ...	23·3	3·07	106·5	67	260	8,121	1,490	81·6	146·4	1·8	54·0	15·9	40·7
June ...	17·1	2·81	146·4	78	243	7,129	1,794	47·3	166·3	4·3	42·5	17·1	37·0
July ...	19·9	3·12	188·7	92	230	7,906	1,601	58·5	181·2	1·7	56·6	13·2	41·0
August ...	22·8	3·04	219·0	87	238	6,955	1,437	70·6	146·8	4·0	34·8	12·5	26·9
September	25·4	2·94	183·3	93	234	6,832	1,468	46·9	171·8	1·9	22·2	15·2	37·0
October ...	24·9	3·36	192·9	86	282	9,442	1,592	71·6	183·9	5·3	30·2	10·7	40·4
November	21·0	2·73	124·5	52	237	7,405	1,576	51·6	132·3	9·1	33·7	8·4	29·1
December	24·3	2·60	140·7	76	251	8,168	2,024	76·5	179·1	18·2	39·3	11·7	36·6
1970 January ...	11·0	3·20	109·7	145	254	8,573	2,187	75·3	192·9	15·5	49·3	12·6	43·7
February ...													
March ...													

(1) Retained imports, natural and synthetic rubber and gutta percha.

(2) Excluding sleepers of all kinds and pitpoles and pitprops. Coniferous figures also exclude pulpwood, but include softwood, planed or dressed whether or not of coniferous species.

(3) Retained imports.

Source: Board of Trade

EXTERNAL TRADE

Exports of coal, iron and steel and non-ferrous metals

TABLE 133 — Monthly averages or calendar months — Thousand tons

	Coal	Iron and steel						Copper and copper manufactures	Brass and brass manufactures	Aluminium and aluminium manufactures	Nickel	Lead	Zinc
	Foreign cargoes	Bars and rods (1)	Universals, plates and sheets: Tinned plates and sheets	Universals, plates and sheets: All other	Railway construction materials	Single wire	Wrought tubes and fittings						
1966	231	28	31	126	14	9	29	8·9	6·1	6·3	4·1	3·8	0·92
1967	154	31	33	139	13	8	26	9·0	7·0	5·2	3·8	6·4	1·28
1968	224	51	30	137	12	10	32	8·5	6·5	5·3	4·4	8·7	2·30
1969	283	53	31	111	13	11	37	10·2	6·5	5·6	3·5	11·9	1·92
1968 October	310	52	33	134	12	10	33	7·9	6·3	4·8	4·2	5·9	1·91
November	319	69	34	170	16	12	48	8·5	6·4	5·3	4·7	10·1	1·88
December	354	52	23	100	11	10	37	8·0	6·3	4·7	5·2	10·5	2·41
1969 January	253	33	36	85	12	8	35	15·0	5·8	5·5	3·7	10·2	2·61
February	261	34	27	91	19	8	36	9·2	5·4	4·9	3·7	7·6	1·24
March	329	46	26	87	8	9	36	6·0	6·0	6·4	4·7	8·8	1·91
April	334	38	17	94	8	10	29	7·8	5·9	5·0	3·9	13·6	1·80
May	277	61	37	112	14	12	37	9·4	6·6	4·9	5·0	10·4	1·51
June	283	56	34	80	16	12	36	9·6	6·9	5·9	5·5	12·0	1·52
July	275	70	31	128	19	10	43	8·3	6·9	5·3	3·9	9·1	1·59
August	286	49	29	108	9	11	41	8·8	5·4	5·2	3·7	17·6	1·55
September	288	54	27	135	8	11	29	13·6	7·4	6·4	3·4	10·3	1·70
October	336	61	26	125	9	11	40	7·5	7·0	6·5	2·7	14·3	2·53
November	222	75	42	168	15	13	47	12·5	8·0	6·0	1·0	14·6	2·42
December	252	59	40	122	14	12	41	14·9	6·8	5·7	1·0	15·5	2·55
1970 January	278	50	26	107	16	13	44	16·4	12·5	3·9	0·9	10·1	3·12

(1) Non-alloy, excluding sheet bars and tinplate bars.

Source: Board of Trade

Exports of machinery and vehicles

TABLE 134 — Monthly averages or calendar months

	Prime movers (not electrical)	Agricultural machinery	Machine tools (metal working)	Textile machinery	Mechanical handling and excavating machinery	Electrical machinery	Aircraft and parts(1)	Agricultural tractors	New motor cars: Complete	New motor cars: Chassis	New commercial vehicles: Complete	New commercial vehicles: Chassis	Caravans	Pedal cycles
	£ thousand							Number						Thousands
1966	17,705	2,544	4,349	6,620	7,615	7,788	11,172	12,103	46,086	287	11,387	2,065	1,606	63
1967	19,601	2,267	4,741	6,385	6,880	8,027	8,575	9,075	41,684	195	9,176	1,806	1,554	63
1968	26,402	2,808	6,000	8,116	9,008	8,711	11,565	8,782	56,320	1	9,684	2,117	2,155	64
1969	25,848	3,272	7,157	8,905	12,062	10,049	14,958	9,509	64,372	—	12,097	2,941	2,684	71
1968 October	25,153	2,323	5,901	8,038	9,648	7,303	14,315	7,780	42,774	—	9,061	2,432	1,680	63
November	30,878	3,137	6,397	6,946	10,196	9,426	16,578	9,876	60,954	—	11,005	2,804	3,574	64
December	30,522	2,180	6,064	9,591	8,133	9,224	15,102	7,016	49,911	—	10,011	2,368	2,677	53
1969 January	26,745	2,801	6,401	10,036	9,314	9,606	15,228	9,141	60,309	—	11,971	2,596	2,826	40
February	20,919	2,970	5,144	8,520	8,522	8,547	9,581	10,009	60,905	—	10,874	2,669	1,891	54
March	25,159	3,172	6,668	7,296	12,749	9,537	14,054	7,178	68,958	—	12,252	3,481	2,759	71
April	24,031	4,011	6,465	8,409	12,289	10,317	10,822	6,919	61,748	—	12,095	3,201	3,350	64
May	28,187	4,107	7,423	10,014	12,795	10,051	20,851	10,191	72,422	—	12,397	4,720	3,976	101
June	26,979	3,897	7,392	9,117	12,333	10,067	18,386	9,185	87,650	—	14,386	2,610	4,331	84
July	27,112	3,095	7,994	10,076	12,254	9,965	21,083	10,939	81,734	—	14,111	2,377	3,065	94
August	23,861	3,461	7,049	8,033	12,647	9,578	13,746	8,810	68,039	—	12,319	2,159	1,112	85
September	22,201	2,636	6,638	8,073	10,088	9,578	8,757	10,026	52,166	1	10,477	3,308	1,272	76
October	25,363	3,144	7,658	8,923	12,233	9,448	13,225	9,881	55,722	—	12,193	2,755	2,076	59
November	28,617	3,001	8,147	9,578	13,905	11,883	18,456	10,600	52,387	—	10,599	2,737	2,893	67
December	29,377	3,064	7,532	8,854	15,675	10,840	15,068	8,442	50,590	—	11,927	2,565	2,672	60
1970 January	22,854	2,895	8,943	10,377	13,834	10,760	8,537	7,147	52,649	1	11,272	2,528	4,029	66

(1) Excluding engines, electrical parts and aircraft other than newly constructed.

Source: Board of Trade

Exports of textiles

TABLE 135

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Wool					Cotton			Man-made fibres		Flax fabrics	Felt base, etc. floor covering and linoleum
	Sheep's and lambs' wool	Tops	Yarn	Woven fabrics	Carpets	Yarn	Thread	Woven piece goods	Yarn and thread	Fabrics		
	Million lb.			Thousand square yards		Million lb.		Million sq. yds.	Million lb.	Thousand square yards		
1966	6·23	5·23	2·48	6,781	789	0·97	0·40	14	8·16	7,074	2,424	2,136
1967	5·80	4·30	2·31	6,326	844	0·98	0·40	12	8·88	8,116	2,191	1,816
1968	6·17	4·68	2·64	6,933	1,295	1·16	0·33	13	10·97	8,927	2,238	1,839
1969	5·28	4·79	2·96	6,929	1,703	1·36	0·29	12	12·78	12,411	2,176	1,420
1968 October ...	5·57	3·68	3·22	6,693	1,451	1·14	0·26	12	10·97	9,356	2,161	1,405
November ...	8·33	5·37	3·47	7,785	1,720	1·40	0·32	15	11·61	9,969	2,411	1,320
December ...	6·17	4·14	2·95	6,386	1,696	1·11	0·30	15	11·82	10,108	2,808	1,969
1969 January ...	5·90	4·77	3·20	6,656	1,535	1·24	0·29	12	12·56	9,711	1,775	1,530
February ...	5·01	4·18	2·60	5,898	1,339	1·26	0·25	13	11·67	10,331	2,286	1,288
March ...	4·95	4·43	2·53	6,534	1,409	1·45	0·29	13	11·29	10,813	2,420	1,329
April ...	6·11	6·49	2·93	5,970	1,608	1·32	0·29	13	11·71	10,225	2,742	2,099
May ...	6·77	5·38	3·27	7,904	1,878	1·45	0·35	14	14·95	11,793	2,370	1,305
June... ...	5·30	5·32	2·77	7,294	1,707	1·57	0·29	12	13·45	12,940	2,155	1,620
July ...	4·07	4·92	3·12	7,512	1,582	1·28	0·28	11	12·06	11,046	2,122	1,596
August ...	3·73	5·97	2·76	7,380	1,536	1·34	0·26	11	12·66	12,913	1,815	1,443
September...	4·71	3·63	3·07	6,973	1,813	1·30	0·23	12	10·71	12,124	2,034	1,033
October ...	5·27	4·68	2·96	6,886	1,948	1·48	0·29	13	14·33	14,485	2,176	1,291
November ...	5·69	4·15	3·45	7,619	2,178	1·29	0·30	12	13·68	16,937	2,465	1,487
December ...	4·48	3·82	3·02	6,596	1,994	1·33	0·33	10	15·88	15,305	2,080	1,266
1970 January ...	5·48	3·77	2·77	6,320	1,781	1·23	0·30	12	15·94	8,283	2,071	1,070

Source: Board of Trade

Other selected exports

TABLE 136

Monthly averages or calendar months

	Refined petroleum	Refined sugar	Manufactured nitrogenous fertilizers	Plastics materials	Paper and board	Cement	Pottery	Prefabricated metal buildings	Electric cables, wires, etc.(1)	Home made spirituous beverages	Cigarettes	Leather, dressed and undressed	Motor tyres
	Thousand tons									Million proof gallons	Thousand cwt.	£ million	Thousands
1966	973	24·8	30	31·4	18·2	21	3·06	1·89	7·0	3·97	23·5	2·07	315
1967	938	26·9	31	33·8	17·3	27	2·88	1·85	5·3	4·13	24·8	1·91	371
1968	1,154	16·9	28	36·3	20·9	22	3·15	2·23	7·3	5·57	27·1	2·45	395
1969	1,153	16·7	25	40·2	25·8	29	3·50	2·96	6·9	4·97	30·8	2·70	466
1968 October ...	1,110	14·4	28	37·1	20·5	25	3·30	2·27	8·8	6·25	23·6	2·62	381
November	1,500	24·8	35	43·0	24·8	14	3·58	2·88	5·8	6·84	29·2	2·92	402
December	1,388	11·4	15	36·4	22·0	28	3·14	2·40	6·6	6·77	24·4	2·68	388
1969 January ...	1,685	16·3	37	37·9	24·2	24	2·48	3·15	5·0	2·96	24·1	2·56	426
February...	1,262	9·5	24	35·6	22·2	14	2·42	2·88	4·7	3·08	33·9	2·36	384
March ...	1,226	11·3	34	34·9	24·1	21	3·34	2·96	4·7	3·34	27·6	2·69	387
April ...	1,085	20·2	27	38·8	24·9	14	4·14	2·50	6·1	5·23	34·9	2·78	441
May ...	1,078	18·3	24	43·4	24·6	33	3·42	2·66	7·4	6·43	22·6	3·34	446
June ...	975	22·7	13	42·4	26·7	34	3·68	2·88	7·2	5·23	34·8	2·90	473
July ...	993	19·7	12	39·0	25·9	32	3·05	3·70	8·1	4·45	31·6	2·86	448
August ...	977	18·4	18	40·4	24·4	26	4·03	2·97	7·4	4·37	29·1	2·60	480
September	1,033	9·2	26	37·9	22·2	30	4·17	2·52	6·1	5·98	31·9	2·32	519
October...	1,174	27·1	33	47·2	27·9	20	3·80	3·55	6·7	6·65	34·6	2·67	477
November	1,227	14·1	11	44·3	30·5	45	3·70	3·83	8·6	6·30	34·1	2·85	595
December	1,134	14·3	37	37·9	30·5	44	3·93	2·01	11·0	5·58	30·1	2·48	526
1970 January ...	1,798	9·7	16	38·8	26·5	31	3·76	3·08	7·1	3·97	29·7	2·80	573

(1) Electric cables, wires, strips and strands insulated.

Source: Board of Trade

XV. OVERSEAS FINANCE

Balance of payments

TABLE 137

£ million

	Current account							Long-term capital account(3)					Balance of current and long-term capital transactions
				Invisibles					Private investment (net)				
	Exports and re-exports (f.o.b.) (1)	Imports (f.o.b.) (2)	Visible balance	Credits	Debits	Invisible balance	Current balance	Official capital (net)	Abroad	In the United Kingdom	Total	Balance of long-term capital	
1964	4,486	5,005	−519	2,642	2,516	+126	−393	−116	−399	+161	−238	−354	−747
1965	4,817	5,054	−237	2,843	2,687	+156	− 81	− 85	−354	+242	−112	−197	−278
1966	5,182	5,255	− 73	2,894	2,781	+113	+ 40	− 80	−304	+277	− 27	−107	− 67
1967	5,122	5,674	−552	3,120	2,890	+230	−322	− 57	−463	+381	− 82	−139	−461
1968	6,273	6,916	−643	3,644	3,310	+334	−309	+ 21	−732	+622	−110	− 89	−398
1969	7,056	7,214	−158	4,054	3,530	+524	+366	− 95	−593	+709	+116	+ 21	+387
Unadjusted													
1967 1st quarter ...	1,364	1,439	− 75	718	635	+ 83	+ 8	− 10	− 87	+107	+ 20	+ 10	+ 18
2nd quarter ...	1,359	1,446	− 87	749	715	+ 34	− 53	+ 12	−106	+100	− 6	+ 6	− 47
3rd quarter ...	1,211	1,334	−123	840	778	+ 62	− 61	− 16	− 83	+ 59	− 24	− 40	−101
4th quarter ...	1,188	1,455	−267	813	762	+ 51	−216	− 43	−187	+115	− 72	−115	−331
1968 1st quarter ...	1,539	1,748	−209	847	782	+ 65	−144	− 15	−202	+ 95	−107	−122	−266
2nd quarter ...	1,525	1,702	−177	928	817	+111	− 66	+ 41	−176	+118	− 58	− 17	− 83
3rd quarter ...	1,532	1,706	−174	1,006	889	+117	− 57	+ 7	−131	+270	+139	+146	+ 89
4th quarter ...	1,677	1,760	− 83	863	822	+ 41	− 42	− 12	−223	+139	− 84	− 96	−138
1969 1st quarter ...	1,624	1,807	−183	969	795	+174	− 9	− 28	−193	+143	− 50	− 78	− 87
2nd quarter ...	1,802	1,815	− 13	1,027	874	+153	+140	− 11	−157	+198	+ 41	+ 30	+170
3rd quarter ...	1,738	1,743	− 5	1,085	974	+111	+106	+ 29	− 80	+167	+ 87	+116	+222
4th quarter ..	1,892	1,849	+ 43	973	887	+ 86	+129	− 85	−163	+201	+ 38	− 47	+ 82
Seasonally adjusted													
1967 1st quarter ...	1,372	1,403	− 31	740	681	+ 59	+ 28	− 17	− 80	+102	+ 22	+ 5	+ 33
2nd quarter ...	1,299	1,421	−122	738	712	+ 26	− 96	− 6	−108	+ 99	− 9	− 15	−111
3rd quarter ...	1,294	1,368	− 74	791	716	+ 75	+ 1	− 20	− 86	+ 66	− 20	− 40	− 39
4th quarter ...	1,157	1,482	−325	851	781	+ 70	−255	− 14	−189	+114	− 75	− 89	−344
1968 1st quarter ...	1,532	1,695	−163	875	825	+ 50	−113	− 11	−195	+ 92	−103	−114	−227
2nd quarter ...	1,475	1,697	−222	915	802	+113	−109	+ 28	−179	+116	− 63	− 35	−144
3rd quarter ...	1,611	1,756	−145	947	817	+130	− 15	+ 15	−140	+278	+138	+153	+138
4th quarter ...	1,655	1,768	−113	907	866	+ 41	− 72	− 11	−218	+136	− 82	− 93	−165
1969 1st quarter ...	1,652	1,778	−126	999	850	+149	+ 23	− 44	−182	+139	− 43	− 87	− 64
2nd quarter ...	1,733	1,803	− 70	1,008	870	+138	+ 68	− 27	−158	+197	+ 39	+ 12	+ 80
3rd quarter ...	1,817	1,798	+ 19	1,020	904	+116	+135	+ 12	− 87	+171	+ 84	+ 96	+231
4th quarter ...	1,854	1,835	+ 19	1,027	906	+121	+140	− 36	−166	+202	+ 36	—	+140

(1) Including net adjustment for recording of exports.
(2) Excluding deliveries of, but including payments for, U.S. military aircraft and missiles.
(3) Assets: increase −, decrease +. Liabilities: increase +, decrease −.
(4) The loss arising from the fact that the Exchange Equalisation Account's forward commitments entered into before devaluation have been recorded as being settled on maturity at the new parity.
(5) Includes changes in official holdings of non-convertible currencies.
(6) Excludes revaluation to sterling equivalent of official liabilities (+ 6) and U.K. banks' liabilities and claims of 610 at the time of devaluation.
(7) Consists of non-sterling countries and international organisations other than I.M.F. Excludes increases in sterling balances resulting from revaluation payments at the time of devaluation—liabilities to central banks denominated in sterling + 119; liabilities to European Monetary Agreement + 2.
(8) Excludes the revaluation in sterling terms at the time of devaluation in 1967: assets −131.

Source: Central Statistical Office

TABLE 137 (*continued*)

Balance of payments

£ million

	Balancing item	Monetary movements(3)										
		EEA loss on forwards (4)	Miscellaneous capital etc.(5)	Change in liabilities in overseas sterling area currencies (net)	Change in liabilities in non-sterling currencies (net)(6)	Change in external sterling liabilities (net)			Change in account with I.M.F.	Transfer from dollar portfolio to reserves	Change in official reserves (8)	Balance of monetary movements
						Sterling area countries	Non-sterling areas (7)	Total				
1964...	− 15	—	+ 5	+ 8	+220	− 1	+ 49	+ 48	+359	—	+122	+762
1965...	+ 31	—	+ 55	+ 7	−125	+ 2	+ 55	+ 57	+499	—	−246	+247
1966...	− 37	—	−110	− 45	−146	+ 2	+123	+125	− 2	+316	− 34	+104
1967...	+227	−105	− 66	+ 24	+213	−147	+314	+167	−318	+204	+115	+234
1968...	−145	−251	− 17	− 46	+ 53	−137	+302	+165	+525	—	+114	+543
1969...	+182	—	+201	+ 1	−109	+201	−804	−603	− 15	—	− 44	−569
1967 1st quarter	+138	—	+ 7	+ 10	+141	+ 75	−311	−236	− 21	—	− 57	−156
2nd quarter	+118	—	− 12	+ 14	− 26	−113	+ 80	− 33	−166	—	+152	− 71
3rd quarter	− 96	—	− 4	− 23	− 15	− 63	+271	+208	− 5	—	+ 36	+197
4th quarter	+ 67	−105	− 57	+ 23	+113	− 46	+274	+228	−126	+204	− 16	+264
1968 1st quarter	−114	−120	+ 7	+ 1	+160	+105	+234	+339	+ 4	—	− 11	+380
2nd quarter	− 20	− 83	+ 35	+ 97	+ 99	−371	−278	−649	+588	—	+ 16	+103
3rd quarter	− 8	− 23	− 24	−122	− 90	+ 64	+159	+223	− 31	—	− 14	− 81
4th quarter	− 3	− 25	− 35	− 22	−116	+ 65	+187	+252	− 36	—	+123	+141
1969 1st quarter	+181	—	+100	+ 6	− 65	+191	−179	+ 12	−127	—	− 20	− 94
2nd quarter	− 76	—	+ 28	− 11	+ 73	− 2	−327	−329	+134	—	+ 11	− 94
3rd quarter	−102	—	+ 2	+ 12	+ 5	− 70	− 62	−132	− 11	—	+ 4	−120
4th quarter	+179	—	+ 71	− 6	−122	+ 82	−236	−154	− 11	—	− 39	−261

See footnotes on page 116.

Source: Central Statistical Office

Reserves and net liabilities in sterling and in other currencies

TABLE 138

End of period

£ million

	Gold and convertible currency reserves (1)	External liabilities in sterling (net)				U.K. banks' external liabilities (net) in overseas sterling area currencies	External liabilities (net) in non-sterling currencies		
		Total (2)	International organisations	Sterling area countries (2)(3)	Non-sterling countries (4)		Total	Official	U.K. banks
1962	1,002	3,769	606	2,430	733	72	28	—	28
1963	949	3,889	627	2,592	670	66	12	—	12
1964	827	4,296	991	2,591	714	74	232	72	160
1965	1,073	4,849	1,481	2,593	775	81	142	—	142
1966	1,107	5,135	1,655	2,595	885	36	− 4	14	− 18
1967 1st quarter	1,164	4,877	1,625	2,670	582	46	137	—	137
2nd quarter	1,012	4,678	1,456	2,557	665	60	111	—	111
3rd quarter	976	4,881	1,439	2,494	948	37	96	—	96
4th quarter	1,123	5,324	1,540	2,448	1,336	60	201	193	8
1968 1st quarter	1,134	5,671	1,543	2,553	1,575	61	340	320	20
2nd quarter	1,118	5,611	2,136	2,182	1,293	158	439	402	37
3rd quarter	1,132	5,803	2,109	2,246	1,448	36	349	281	68
4th quarter	1,009	6,019	2,082	2,311	1,626	14	233	211	22
1969 1st quarter	1,029	5,904	1,967	2,502	1,435	20	168	156	12
2nd quarter	1,018	5,723	2,101	2,514	1,108	9	241	244	− 3
3rd quarter	1,014	5,580	2,102	2,444	1,034	21	246	285	− 39
October	1,034	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
November	1,043	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
December	1,053	5,415	2,123	2,526	766	15	124	150	− 26
1970 January	1,074	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
February	1,101	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
March									

(1) The parity of sterling changed from £1 to $2.80 to £1 to $2.40 on 18 November 1967.
(2) The end-June 1969 figure includes 14 of British government securities not previously classified to this series. Hence the implied change in this quarter differs from that shown in Table 137 (*continued*). The implied changes may also differ from quarter to quarter since the area levels are rounded independently of the total.
(3) Including Rhodesia up to the end of 1965 and Burma up to the end of 1966.
(4) Including Rhodesia from the beginning of 1966 and Burma from the beginning of 1967.

Sources: H.M. Treasury
Bank of England

XVI. HOME FINANCE

Consolidated Fund

Revenue and expenditure

TABLE 139

£ million

	Revenue						Expenditure					Surplus transferred to National Loans Fund(3)
									Standing services			
	Total	Inland Revenue	Customs and Excise	Selective employment tax	Motor vehicle duties	Miscellaneous receipts	Total	Supply services	Debt interest (1)	Payments to Northern Ireland	Other expenditure (2)	
Financial years												
1966/67(4)	9,769	4,991	3,536	600	244	398	9,019	8,161	643	164	51	750
1967/68(4)	11,227	5,765	3,721	1,064	269	408	10,871	9,976	668	194	33	356
1968/69	13,363	6,531	4,600	1,363	393	476	11,615	10,810	552	224	29	1,748
1968 3rd quarter ...	2,834	1,308	1,028	289	88	121	2,777	2,556	163	50	8	57
4th quarter ...	2,977	1,156	1,217	407	89	108	2,957	2,749	128	52	28	20
1969 1st quarter ...	4,931	2,887	1,367	394	114	169	3,247	3,057	113	74	3	1,684
2nd quarter ...	3,357	1,404	1,340	390	117	106	2,892	2,691	153	54	− 6	465
3rd quarter ...	3,368	1,490	1,199	503	89	87	3,073	2,856	162	55	—	295
4th quarter ...	3,391	1,331	1,274	506	95	185	3,374	3,124	162	56	32	17
1970 January ...	1,720	1,187	285	161	38	49	1,100	983	28	26	63	620
February ...	1,849	1,080	525	169	41	34	1,091	1,122	—	27	−58	758
March ...												

(1) Payment to National Loans Fund representing its payments for the service of the national debt less its receipts of interest on loans outstanding. (2) Includes net issues to Civil Contingencies Fund.
(3) A negative item represents a temporary borrowing from the Fund. (4) Calculated on the new basis for purposes of comparison.

Source: H.M. Treasury

National Loans Fund(1)

Net lending

TABLE 140

£ million

	Total	Government guaranteed stock redemption	Loans to nationalised industries						Loans to other public corporations			Loans to local authorities(4)	Loans to private sector (5)	Lending within central government (6)
			Post Office	Coal	Electricity (2)	Gas	Steel	Aviation (3)	Transport	New Towns Corporations and Commission	Other			
Financial years														
1966/67(7) ...	1,528	13	130	43	427	164	—	3	33	62	18	543	2	90
1967/68(7) ...	1,744	—	200	76	380	262	175	17	88	69	−4	361	−1	121
1968/69 ...	1,423	—	240	20	204	206	−18	29	44	79	42	478	−2	101
1968 3rd quarter	458	—	80	40	87	75	5	9	6	16	17	85	—	38
4th quarter	485	—	65	− 7	72	88	—	23	23	14	8	190	−2	10
1969 1st quarter	224	—	75	−36	27	12	−23	− 6	6	36	13	95	2	23
2nd quarter	163	—	25	−23	−11	22	—	1	5	14	26	94	1	9
3rd quarter	557	215	80	23	20	15	11	−11	4	22	7	184	−1	−12
4th quarter	497	—	35	29	58	126	30	—	9	17	12	163	−3	21
1970 January ...	30	—	25	−17	21	−13	—	−10	−9	7	2	28	−2	−1
February ...	44	—	—	−30	15	8	—	—	1	5	2	37	—	6
March ...														

(1) In addition to its lending, the National Loans Fund meets the interest and management charges of the national debt. To the extent that these charges are not matched by interest received on its own lending and by profits of the Issue Department of the Bank of England, the Consolidated Fund meets the difference. The surplus on the Consolidated Fund is paid to the Fund, leaving the difference between that and its net lending as the Fund's financing requirement. (2) Electricity Council, North of Scotland Hydro-Electric Board and South of Scotland Electricity Board. (3) British Overseas Airways Corporation, British European Airways Corporation and British Airports Authority. (4) Including loans to harbour authorities. (5) Loans under the Ship Credit Scheme and to the Shipbuilding Industry Board, housing associations and building societies. (6) Loans to Votes for U.S. military aircraft, married quarters for armed forces and Town and Country Planning compensation; and lending to Redundancy Fund, Land Commission and Northern Ireland Government.
(7) Calculated on the new basis for purposes of comparison.

Source: H.M. Treasury

Central government borrowing requirement (net balance)(1)

TABLE 141

Old presentation

£ million

	Central government borrowing requirement (net balance) (1)	Exchequer account			Extra-Exchequer Funds, etc.				
		Exchequer borrowing and special transactions (net)	Surplus of revenue over expenditure	Consolidated Fund loans (net)	Total	National Insurance Funds	Iron and Steel Realisation Account	Issue department Income	Departmental balances and miscellaneous
Financial years									
1963/64	376	− 437	90	− 527	61	−33	19	57	18
1964/65	313	− 386	444	− 830	73	5	−18	63	23
1965/66	499	− 577	688	−1,265	78	30	1	75	− 28
1966/67	727	− 740	738	−1,478	13	− 4	− 1	50	− 32
1967/68	1,335	−1,334	330	−1,661	− 4	−82	−22	105	− 5
Quarters ended									
1965 March	−735	770	846	− 76	− 35	−15	−31	17	− 6
June	476	− 448	−163	− 285	− 28	6	—	12	− 46
September	328	− 418	− 39	− 379	90	17	—	18	55
December	528	− 439	−145	− 294	− 89	12	—	8	−109
1966 March	−833	728	1,035	− 307	105	− 5	1	37	72
June	438	− 443	−209	− 234	5	7	—	5	− 7
September	424	− 613	− 46	− 567	189	27	− 3	23	142
December	492	− 311	− 18	− 293	−181	− 9	—	10	−182
1967 March	−627	627	1,011	− 384	—	−29	2	12	15
June	423	− 434	−169	− 265	11	−22	4	34	− 5
September	542	− 764	−132	− 632	222	−13	—	19	216
December	796	− 490	−267	− 223	−306	−45	− 1	39	−299
1968 March	−426	357	898	− 541	69	− 2	−25	13	83

New presentation

	National Loans Fund				*less* surplus of National Insurance Funds(2)	*less* departmental balances and miscellaneous (2)(3)	Central government borrowing requirement (net balance)(3)
	Net lending	*less* surplus from Consolidated Fund(2)	Other items	Borrowing required			
Financial years							
1966/67(4)	1,528	− 750	− 16(5)(6)	762	4	− 39	727
1967/68(4)	1,744	− 356	− 3(6)	1,385	82	−136	1,335
1968/69	1,423	−1,748	− 12(6)	− 337	92	− 28	− 273
1969/70 (estimate)	1,631	−2,457	−215(5)	−1,041			− 807(8)
1968 2nd quarter	256	13	− 6(7)	263	38	93	394
3rd quarter	458	− 57	—	401	2	− 43	360
4th quarter	485	− 20	− 1	464	23	− 60	427
1969 1st quarter	224	−1,684	− 5(6)	−1,465	29	− 18	−1,454
2nd quarter	163	− 465	—	− 302	11	57	− 234
3rd quarter	557	− 295	− 215(5)	47	8	30	85
4th quarter	497	− 17	—	480	46	− 45	481
1969 October	118	− 60	—	58	8	52	118
November	139	− 139	—	—	11	2	13
December	240	182	—	422	27	−142	307
1970 January	30	− 620	—	− 590	6	115	− 469
February	44	− 758	24(9)	− 690	−12	19	− 683

(1) This is equal to Exchequer borrowing and special transactions (net) *less* receipts from extra-Exchequer funds, etc. It is also equal to the amount the central government borrows *less* any increase (or *plus* any decrease) in its holdings of gold and currency reserves.
(2) A negative item represents a surplus, a positive item a deficit.
(3) The cumulative monthly figures do not agree precisely with the quarterly figures because of adjustments, incorporated in the latter, for accrued interest on National Savings and for issued coin.
(4) Calculated on the new basis for purposes of comparison.
(5) Adjustment for redemption of government guaranteed stock.
(6) Including transfer of surplus of the death duties surrendered securities account.
(7) Including surrender of final balance on the local loans fund.
(8) As published in *Financial Statement and Budget Report 1969–70*.
(9) Consolidated Fund liability for service of the National Debt; balance over until March.

Sources: H.M. Treasury
Central Statistical Office

TABLE 142

Payments and net receipts by Board of Inland Revenue

£ million

	Cumulative total in current financial year		Net receipts by Board of Inland Revenue										Payment of overspill relief (3)
	Payments into Consolidated Fund	Net receipts by Board of Inland Revenue	Total (1)	Income tax	Surtax	Corporation tax	Profits tax, excess profits tax and excess profits levy (2)	Capital gains tax	Death duties	Stamp duties	Special charge	
1965/66 Years	4,687·8	4,692·9	4,692·9	3,682·5	203·8	—	436·8	—	292·9	76·6	—	—
1966/67 ended	4,990·7	4,997·6	4,997·6	3,236·5	243·7	1,048·9	83·7	7·5	300·9	76·3	—	43·6
1967/68 31 March(4)	5,765·1	5,746·4	5,746·4	3,819·1	238·6	1,213·1	31·5	15·7	329·9	98·4	—	62·8
1968/69	6,531·5	6,546·4	6,546·4	4,349·2	225·2	1,343·8	7·7	46·9	381·9	124·5	67·3	53·1
1969 January 25	4,530·3	4,671·1	976·5	504·7	54·1	347·2	0·3	5·2	26·1	9·4	29·6	3·5
February 22 ...	5,468·2	5,583·3	912·2	418·8	46·0	377·2	0·2	4·7	34·4	11·6	19·2	0·9
March 31	6,531·5	6,547·7	964·4	451·8	42·3	389·4	1·3	8·9	46·6	11·9	12·3	22·0
April 26	416·4	448·1	448·1	340·6	13·4	46·6		5·3	27·6	11·2	3·3	1·5
May 31	944·6	953·7	505·6	388·0	16·6	39·8		7·5	37·9	11·3	4·1	2·1
June 30	1,404·3	1,425·5	471·8	379·4	11·2	29·3		8·1	29·9	11·4	2·3	13·4
July 25	1,891·1	1,933·9	508·5	428·8	9·1	25·4		8·4	26·8	8·1	1·5	1·0
August 29	2,470·9	2,485·5	551·6	457·7	9·5	27·5		10·9	33·2	10·8	1·8	2·2
September 30 ...	2,893·9	2,904·2	418·7	340·1	7·1	28·9		10·2	24·0	6·9	1·2	0·5
October 31	3,399·4	3,404·1	499·9	405·4	8·7	36 3		11·4	26·5	10·1	1·2	10·0
November 28 ...	3,788·9	3,795·9	391·8	310·8	7·2	25·4		9·4	29·5	8·5	0·8	0·6
December 31 ...	4,225·0	4,275·4	479·5	356·4	15·1	59·0		12·5	25·2	10·6	0·6	2·3
1970 January 30	5,412.5	5,513·6	1,238·2	653·0	68·6	460·0		16·0	30·0	10·1	0·6	1·9
February 27 ...	6,492·4	6,705·8	1,192·3	478·7	58·6	589·5		13·8	38·8	12·0	0·5	0·7
March 31												

(1) Including some land tax, mineral rights duty, excess profits duty and special contribution, not included under separate headings; these amount to approximately £0·2 million in each of the financial years 1965/66 and 1966/67. Including profits tax, excess profits tax and excess profits le from April 1969. (2) Receipts from excess profits tax and excess profits levy amounted to approximately £1 million in 1965/66. (3) Payments d in certain cases where the overseas rate exceeds the corporation tax rate (Section 84, Finance Act 1965). The figures relate to calendar month (4) The yearly totals include revisions which cannot be allocated to particular monthly periods.

Customs and Excise duties

£ million

	Cumulative total in current financial year		Receipts by H.M. Customs and Excise(5)(6)									
	Net payments into Consolidated Fund	Receipts by H.M. Customs and Excise	Total	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco	Purchase tax	Betting and gaming (7)	Hydrocarbon oils	Protective duties	Import deposits	Other (8)
1965/66 Years	3,401·2	3,400·0	3,400·0	627·5	1,104·2	646·3	33·2	784·5	185·6	—	108·7
1966/67 ended	3,535·8	3,539·7	3,539·7	688·2	1,024·6	686·2	50·1	887·5	178·5	—	24·6
1967/68 31 March	3,721·3	3,716·9	3,716·9	747·9	1,043·4	747·8	67·9	969·4	213·8	—	−73·4
1968/69	4,600·6	4,611·2	4,611·2	777·7	1,103·7	971·3	99·7	1,126·9	213·8	347·5	−29·3
1969 January ...				52·0	107·0		6·9	96·0	18·9	96·1	2·4
February ...	4,600·6	4,613·2	1,369·0	52·5	88·9	290·3	5·1	92·5	15·2	80·3	−4·4
March				53·8	93·4		7·1	101·1	18·9	94·1	1·0
April				66·3	93·2		8·6	109·9	19·8	95·6	−0·5
May	1,340·6	1,353·9	1,353·9	60·2	102·6	243·6	7·7	111·1	19·2	96·1	−6·7
June				66·9	94·4		7·5	106·9	19·3	29·3	3·0
July				68·7	91·5		7·1	113·5	20·4	20·2	4·8
August... ...	2.539·1	2,533·9	1,180·0	72·0	93·8	265·7	7·7	112·8	17·7	− 5·9	−2·6
September ...				77·6	99·3		12·0	106·4	16·8	−25·4(9)	5·9
October ...				93·1	108·4		14·6	116·1	20·1	7·5	−5·5
November ...	3.812·8	3,814·8	1,281·0	98·7	100·6	286·3	9·2	105·3	18·0	5·8	−0·7
December ...				92·5	89·8		17·8(10)	110·2	17·4	−22·9	—
1970 January ...				55·0	91·9		8·5	106·8	19·8	−13·0	0·4
February ...				52·9	82·0		8·5	94·7	19·8	5·4	−0·5
March ...											

(5) The sum of the twelve monthly receipts under certain headings is slightly greater than the total shown for the financial year. This is because the monthly figures include duties ultimately payable to the Isle of Man and adjustments for these are made only at the end of the financial year. (6) Including receipts from the 10 per cent regulator on most Customs and Excise duties and on purchase tax, operative (i) from 21 July 1966 to 11 April 1967 and (ii) from 23 November 1968 to April 1969. (7) The figures given do not include receipts fro Northern Ireland, as the duties apply only in Great Britain. Separate duties on betting have been imposed by the Government of Norther Ireland. (8) Including receipts from the temporary charge on imports from October 1964 to November 1966 *less* export rebates. (9) In Septembe repayments began to be brought to account at an earlier stage. Without this change, this figure would have been −7·0. (10) Includes arrears i respect of earlier years.

Sources: Board of Inland Revenue
H.M. Customs and Excise

Capital issues and redemptions in the United Kingdom(1)

TABLE 143

£ million

	Gross Issues	Gross redemptions	Issues less redemptions												
			Total				United Kingdom borrowers				Overseas borrowers (3)				
									Quoted public companies						
			Total	Loan capital	Preference shares	Ordinary shares	Total	Local authorities(2)	Quoted securities	Unquoted securities	Total quoted	Commonwealth	Other countries	Public authorities	Public companies
1964 ...	757·9	82·0	675·9	443·0	7·5	225·4	610·4	89·9	474·6	45·9	65·5	5·2	60·3	43·2	22·3
1965 ...	825·9	150·1	675·8	602·7	−14·4	87·5	657·0	211·5	388·2	57·3	18·8	−22·7	41·5	−13·7	32·5
1966 ...	1,080·0	204·9	875·1	687·1	28·4	159·6	889·8	189·1	681·3	19·4	−14·7	−37·6	22·9	−29·4	14·7
1967 ...	1,012·5	207·2	805·3	722·5	− 2·4	85·2	698·4	215·1	455·9	27·4	106·9	25·5	81·4	48·8	58·1
1968 ...	1,328·1	334·9	993·2	608·3	−10·0	394·9	759·8	122·0	619·0	18·8	233·4	−23·7	257·1	− 6·7	240·1
1969 ...	1,234·4	355·4	879·0	641·4	− 0·6	238·2	686·2	73·2	597·7	15·3	192·8	−21·2	214·0	− 6·8	199·6
1964 1st qtr.	250·1	28·7	221·4	133·5	4·3	83·6	193·5	17·6	162·0	13·9	27·9	6·6	21·3	20·5	7·4
2nd qtr.	199·0	16·7	182·3	101·4	1·3	79·6	163·3	25·7	131·5	6·1	19·0	5·6	13·4	13·7	5·3
3rd qtr.	199·6	20·7	178·9	131·9	1·1	45·9	173·4	39·7	122·5	11·2	5·5	− 4·7	10·2	− 0·5	6·0
4th qtr.	109·2	15·9	93·3	76·2	0·8	16·3	80·2	6·9	58·6	14·7	13·1	− 2·3	15·4	9·5	3·6
1965 1st qtr.	185·8	22·7	163·1	150·1	− 0·3	13·4	139·9	52·6	75·7	11·6	23·2	2·6	20·6	14·7	8·5
2nd qtr.	169·5	39·9	129·6	113·1	−14·6	31·1	135·8	64·8	57·4	13·6	− 6·2	−13·7	7·5	−15·4	9·2
3rd qtr.	218·6	61·6	157·0	136·0	−0·1	21·1	172·8	30·1	123·1	19·6	−15·8	−17·8	2·0	−19·0	3·2
4th qtr.	252·0	25·9	226·1	203·5	0·7	21·9	208·5	64·0	132·0	12·5	17·6	6·2	11·4	6·0	11·6
1966 1st qtr.	372·3	34·2	338·1	256·0	5·0	77·1	337·6	79·5	249·0	9·1	0·5	− 7·6	8·1	− 5·3	5·8
2nd qtr.	227·6	21·8	205·8	146·2	10·8	48·8	205·3	65·7	136·2	3·4	0·5	− 0·2	0·7	− 0·3	0·8
3rd qtr.	238·4	85·7	152·7	115·4	8·8	28·5	165·9	5·1	157·3	3·5	−13·2	−23·7	10·5	−21·3	8·1
4th qtr.	241·7	63·2	178·5	169·5	3·8	5·2	181·0	38·8	138·8	3·4	− 2·5	− 6·1	3·6	− 2·5	—
1967 1st qtr.	289·5	52·3	237·2	221·1	− 2·4	18·5	208·8	52·0	141·7	15·1	28·4	8·8	19·6	22·6	5·8
2nd qtr.	240·4	42·0	198·4	192·1	− 0·3	6·6	175·1	98·3	74·5	2·3	23·3	− 0·1	23·4	6·5	16·8
3rd qtr.	242·3	66·9	175·4	132·1	− 1·5	44·8	166·7	52·8	107·7	6·2	8·7	−10·3	19·0	− 7·1	15·8
4th qtr.	240·3	46·0	194·3	176·7	1·8	15·8	147·8	12·0	132·0	3·8	46·5	27·1	19·4	26·8	19·7
1968 1st qtr.	214·6	71·7	142·9	110·9	− 0·1	32·1	84·0	1·9	70·0	12·1	58·9	−1·0	59·9	0·8	58·1
2nd qtr.	314·6	75·7	238·9	145·6	0·5	92·8	160·2	33·7	126·5	—	78·7	−6·9	85·6	−2·2	80·9
1968 July ...	154·7	23·5	131·2	67·5	—	63·7	96·7	23·3	72·8	0·6	34·5	8·4	26·1	9·8	24·7
August	149·0	41·4	107·6	74·8	− 1·1	33·9	87·3	13·1	73·7	0·5	20·3	− 8·4	28·7	− 8·4	28·7
Sept....	141·1	44·5	96·6	57·0	− 0·1	39·7	99·9	16·9	83·0	—	− 3·3	−16·2	12·9	−15·4	12·1
Oct....	132·8	32·0	100·8	59·6	− 0·1	41·3	80·0	7·6	72·1	0·3	20·8	− 0·7	21·5	3·3	17·5
Nov....	156·8	23·0	133·8	57·5	− 0·4	76·7	115·3	18·2	94·5	2·6	18·5	—	18·5	5·1	13·4
Dec....	64·5	23·1	41·4	35·4	− 8·7	14·7	36·4	7·3	26·4	2·7	5·0	1·1	3·9	0·3	4·7
1969 Jan. ...	116·7	11·3	105·4	68·3	− 0·3	37·4	86·8	19·3	58·9	8·6	18·6	3·8	14·8	3·0	15·6
Feb. ...	164·9	26·7	138·2	123·4	0·1	14·7	102·4	7·5	95·6	1·4	33·7	− 0·3	34·0	− 0·6	34·3
March	137·5	24·0	113·5	87·7	1·2	24·6	83·5	−0·3	81·3	2·5	30·0	− 0·6	30·6	1·2	28·8
April	75·5	21·3	54·2	46·6	− 0·2	7·8	41·8	−5·2	47·0	—	12·4	1·3	11·1	1·2	11·2
May ...	124·2	22·7	101·5	72·0	0·3	29·2	71·5	−1·5	72·0	1·0	30·0	− 0·4	30·4	0·3	29·7
June ...	114·3	31·9	82·4	37·8	—	44·6	61·4	−5·9	66·3	1·0	21·0	0·9	20·1	3·4	17·6
July ...	90·7	36·5	54·2	50·5	− 2·2	5·9	42·0	0·5	41·3	0·2	12·2	1·3	10·9	1·2	11·0
August	80·4	66·8	13·6	−4·5	—	18·1	23·7	2·7	21·0	—	−10·1	−27·7	17·6	−27·9	17·1
Sept...	75·6	34·3	41·3	29·7	—	11·6	28·3	8·6	19·7	—	13·0	− 1·0	14·0	2·2	10·8
Oct....	96·0	36·5	59·5	46·9	− 0·2	12·8	44·3	12·7	31·6	—	15·2	—	15·2	7·7	7·5
Nov....	97·5	23·7	73·8	53·9	—	19·9	62·6	19·0	43·0	0·6	11·2	—	11·2	0·4	10·8
Dec....	61·1	19·7	41·4	29·1	0·7	11·6	37·9	15·8	22·1	—	3·5	1·5	2·0	1·1	2·4
1970 Jan. ...	53·8	26·9	26·9	15·0	− 0·1	12·0	18·7	1·3	17·4	—	8·2	−1·3	9·5	− 2·0	10·2
Feb. ...	90·4	31·2	59·2	42·4	—	16·8	41·2	11·7	29·5	—	18·0	1·0	17·0	5·1	12·9
March															

(1) Excluding securities of the British government and nationalised industries.
(2) The estimates include United Kingdom local authority negotiable bonds (of not less than one year) issued to or through the agency of banks, discount houses, issuing houses or brokers; these bonds were first issued in February 1964.
(3) Amounts included for issues denominated in foreign currencies have been converted at rates ruling at the time of issue.

Source: Bank of England

Bank of England

TABLE 144 — Average of Wednesdays — £ million

	Issue Department				Banking Department									
					Deposits					Securities				
	Notes in circulation	Notes in Banking Department	Government securities(1)	Other assets (2)	Total	Public	Special (3)	Banker's	Other accounts	Total	Government	Discounts and advances	Other	Notes and coin
1964	2,561·7	40·6	2,600·9	1·4	342·2	12·4	—	250·6	79·2	318·9	251·2	42·9	24·9	41·4
1965	2,727·4	48·5	2,774·5	1·4	424·9	12·3	56·4	266·6	89·6	393·7	311·1	57·1	25·6	49·3
1966	2,892·5	44·4	2,935·5	1·4	526·3	13·3	140·7	265·4	106·9	499·2	410·6	61·9	26·7	45·3
1967	2,971·5	40·4	3,010·5	1·4	605·0	12·5	204·2	275·2	113·0	582·0	451·3	102·8	27·9	41·1
1968	3,119·2	41·5	3,159·6	1·4	663·8	12·7	218·9	299·2	133·0	639·9	499·3	108·2	32·4	42·1
1969	3,243·5	41·8	3,274·6	10·8	652·8	14·2	224·8	270·0	143·8	627·9	465·6	84·8	77·5	43·1
1967 April	2,925·7	62·1	2,986·5	1·4	591·0	13·2	196·7	269·7	111·5	545·9	427·5	91·5	26·9	62·9
May	2,938·1	32·3	2,969·0	1·4	600·3	11·5	200·0	278·6	110·1	585·1	486·4	71·9	26·8	33·1
June	2,963·2	37·1	2,999·0	1·4	595·6	12·0	202·2	273·6	107·9	575·8	465·3	82·6	28·0	37·9
July	3,020·4	30·0	3,049·0	1·4	606·2	11·0	204·0	281·8	109·3	593·6	441·5	123·3	28·8	30·8
August	3,022·4	48·0	3,069·0	1·4	596·3	11·3	207·3	263·4	114·3	566·0	443·0	93·7	29·3	48·7
September	2,984·6	40·7	3,024·0	1·4	610·0	12·7	207·6	276·3	113·4	587·0	461·7	97·8	27·5	41·5
October	2,969·4	31·0	2,999·0	1·4	616·5	12·8	208·3	283·7	111·8	602·7	439·8	135·8	27·1	31·8
November	3,010·9	40·3	3,049·0	1·4	634·8	13·1	211·5	289·7	120·5	612·5	444·4	140·1	28·0	40·2
December	3,166·8	46·1	3,211·5	1·4	629·8	13·4	213·3	283·3	119·8	601·1	455·5	116·0	29·6	46·8
1968 January	3,038·7	51·7	3,089·0	1·4	644·2	12·3	217·0	295·9	119·9	610·0	470·4	108·9	30·7	52·4
February	3,011·4	39·0	3,049·0	1·4	649·3	12·8	218·2	289·0	129·3	628·1	439·7	157·1	31·2	39·7
March	3,036·9	46·6	3,086·5	1·4	657·9	12·5	214·7	302·7	128·0	629·2	418·9	178·9	31·4	47·2
April	3,105·9	32·0	3,136·5	1·4	647·0	12·3	216·4	288·0	130·4	632·4	482·4	117·7	32·3	32·6
May	3,073·4	47·0	3,119·0	1·4	663·5	12·5	218·5	296·5	136·0	633·8	496·6	106·7	30·6	47·5
June	3,117·9	32·5	3,149·0	1·4	659·3	12·5	216·0	298·6	132·3	644·3	529·9	82·2	32·2	33·0
July	3,178·3	42·1	3,219·0	1·4	655·3	13·2	216·7	286·5	138·9	630·9	481·0	117·3	32·7	42·6
August	3,169·5	43·4	3,211·5	1·4	671·9	12·2	221·2	301·7	137·1	646·3	504·4	110·8	30·8	44·0
September	3,145·8	54·6	3,199·0	1·4	676·5	14·2	221·6	303·6	137·4	640·1	513·5	94·7	31·8	55·2
October	3,113·8	36·6	3,149·0	1·4	683·0	12·0	220·4	317·6	133·0	663·6	552·0	78·4	33·2	37·3
November	3,148·8	39·1	3,186·5	1·4	694·4	13·1	223·4	322·5	135·5	672·5	560·0	79·4	33·1	39·8
December	3,307·5	30·4	3,336·5	1·4	665·8	12·8	225·3	288·5	139·1	652·5	542·2	71·4	39·0	31·2
1969 January	3,186·2	44·2	3,229·0	1·4	667·3	15·6	226·6	282·4	142·7	640·5	524·4	73·0	43·1	45·0
February	3,125·6	37·3	3,161·5	1·4	687·5	13·7	231·0	296·9	145·9	667·8	545·4	70·1	52·4	38·1
March	3,165·0	35·4	3,119·0	1·4	693·2	14·2	228·4	307·0	143·6	700·5	491·0	82·7	101·8	36·2
April	3,224·1	46·4	3,269·0	1·4	693·4	15·0	225·3	308·5	144·5	664·2	482·4	96·3	85·5	47·1
May	3,205·8	44·7	3,249·0	1·4	681·2	14·1	226·7	296·8	143·6	653·6	433·2	92·2	128·2	45·5
June	3,238·0	62·4	3,296·7	3·7	661·0	13·5	221·8	283·0	142·6	615·8	430·4	70·0	115·4	63·2
July	3,304·4	36·0	3,330·2	10·2	667·7	13·8	221·5	286·1	146·4	649·0	435·7	135·3	78·0	36·9
August	3,312·8	37·6	3,335·0	15·4	627·3	13·7	225·9	245·8	142·0	607·2	407·8	107·5	66·9	38·5
September	3,265·6	59·8	3,306·3	19·1	635·2	14·6	224·0	252·3	144·3	593·0	436·2	82·7	74·1	60·7
October	3,230·2	20·2	3,228·4	22·1	619·4	12·1	221·3	238·0	148·0	614·5	451·3	80·4	82·8	22·8
November	3,227·4	35·5	3,238·8	24·1	613 8	15·8	222·4	235·1	140·5	593·4	472·3	54·1	67·0	38·3
December	3,404·1	46·4	3,424·7	25·7	592·5	14·4	224·1	213·1	140·8	562·0	448·3	66·5	47·3	48·5
1970 January	3,267·9	45·1	3,284·1	28·8	578·0	14·3	225·8	199·2	138·8	549·1	436·2	53·9	58·9	47·2
February	3,222·7	27·7	3,215·0	35·4	578·2	12·9	221·5	209·8	133·9	566·6	415·4	53·4	97·8	29·9
March														

(1) Including government debt £11·0 million.
(2) Other securities, coin other than gold coin, and gold coin and bullion.
(3) Deposits called from the London clearing and Scottish banks, and not at their free disposal.

Source: Bank of England

London clearing banks

TABLE 145

£ million

	Deposits				Main assets						Seasonally adjusted estimates(1)	
	Net deposits (2)	Total	Current accounts	Deposit accounts	Other accounts	Liquid assets(3) Total	Liquid assets(3) Percentage of total deposits	Investments Total	Investments Percentage of total deposits	Advances and other accounts(4) Total	Advances and other accounts(4) Percentage of total deposits	Net deposits (2)	Advances and other accounts (4) (5)
1964	7,891	8,550	4,836	2,922	791	2,589	30·3	1,220	14·3	4,328	50·6		
1965	8,316	8,989	4,869	3,292	829	2,763	30·7	1,087	12·1	4,653	51·8		
1966	8,675	9,376	4,955	3,536	885	2,908	31·0	1,137	12·1	4,732	50·5		
1967	9,024	9,772	5,084	3,769	919	2,990	30·6	1,341	13·7	4,725	48·3		
1968	9,645	10,431	5,334	4,177	920	3,182	30·5	1,375	13·2	5,075	48·6		
1969	9,760	10,610	5,249	4,363	998	3,191	30·1	1,201	11·3	5,328	50·2		
1967 July 19	9,142	9,867	5,121	3,784	961	2,988	30·3	1,363	13·8	4,824	48·9	9,050	4,650
August 16	9,121	9,858	5,118	3,789	950	2,975	30·2	1,367	13·9	4,808	48·8	9,095	4,675(6)
September 20	9,210	9,917	5,181	3,809	927	3,075	31·0	1,374	13·9	4,786	48·3	9,175	4,705
October 18	9,329	10,086	5,303	3,854	929	3,126	31·0	1,376	13·6	4,832	47·9	9,235	4,765
November 15	9,328	10,129	5,315	3,880	934	3,059	30·2	1,381	13·6	4,874	48·1	9,285	4,830
December 13	9,412	10,262	5,298	3,963	1,001	3,127	30·5	1,405	13·7	4,862	47·4	9,345	4,850
1968 January 17	9,511	10,368	5,347	4,084	937	3,245	31·3	1,403	13·5	4,873	47·0	9,425	4,865
February 21	9,367	10,135	5,195	4,073	867	2,952	29·1	1,388	13·7	5,031	49·6	9,470	4,915
March 20	9,452	10,303	5,337	4,068	897	2,958	28·7	1,360	13·2	5,139	49·9	9,595	4,990
April 17	9,502	10,390	5,309	4,109	972	2,991	28·8	1,346	12·9	5,165	49·7	9,565	5,020
May 15	9,458	10,235	5,252	4,121	863	2,956	28·9	1,344	13·1	5,153	50·4	9,560	5,025
June 19	9,526	10,278	5,275	4,131	873	3,106	30·2	1,324	12·9	5,089	49·5	9,575	4,950
July 17	9,724	10,493	5,327	4,230	935	3,168	30·2	1,322	12·6	5,219	49·7	9,625	4,975
August 21	9,771	10,534	5,343	4,234	958	3,286	31·2	1,350	12·8	5,111	48·5	9,740	4,985
September 18	9,814	10,445	5,298	4,243	904	3,336	31·9	1,380	13·2	5,071	48·5	9,775	5,025
October 16	9,841	10,584	5,404	4,270	911	3,388	32·0	1,420	13·4	5,004	47·3	9,735	4,990
November 20	9,879	10,674	5,438	4,283	953	3,410	31·9	1,430	13·4	5,000	46·8	9,830	5,010
December 11	9,898	10,736	5,487	4,273	976	3,385	31·5	1,432	13·3	5,039	46·9	9,825	5,120
1969 January 15	10,013	10,835	5,485	4,383	966	3,476	32·1	1,427	13·2	5,084	46·9	9,925	5,145
February 19	9,832	10,650	5,312	4,350	988	3,123	29·3	1,365	12·8	5,313	49·9	9,940	5,195
March 19	9,696	10,528	5,224	4,350	954	3,095	29·4	1,232	11·7	5,340	50·7	9,845	5,160
April 16	9,773	10,603	5,268	4,356	980	3,254	30·7	1,237	11·7	5,251	49·5	9,840	5,085
May 21	9,636	10,489	5,132	4,349	1,008	2,983	28·4	1,185	11·3	5,433	51·8	9,740	5,245
June 18	9,653	10,508	5,180	4,343	985	3,187	30·3	1,182	11·2	5,251	50·0	9,720	5,105
July 16	9,798	10,714	5,240	4,408	1,067	3,130	29·2	1,174	11·0	5,454	50·9	9,700	5,185
August 20	9,778	10,596	5,200	4,353	1,043	3,008	28·4	1,162	11·0	5,562	52·5	9,750	5,370
September 17	9,694	10,491	5,133	4,358	1,000	3,137	29·9	1,119	10·7	5,389	51·4	9,655	5,330
October 15	9,709	10,559	5,199	4,369	990	3,160	29·9	1,121	10·6	5,380	51·0	9,605	5,355
November 19	9,739	10,624	5,265	4,372	987	3,297	31·0	1,103	10·4	5,287	49·8	9,690	5,275
December 10	9,801	10,724	5,350	4,361	1,013	3,446	32·1	1,105	10·3	5,194	48·4	9,726	5,265
1970 January 21(7)	9,900	10,450				3,469	33·2			5,262	50·3	9,815	5,280
February 18	9,675	10,227				3,123	30·5			5,400	52·8	9,780	5,300
March 18													

(1) Figures supplied by the Bank of England and rounded to the nearest £5 million.
(2) Total deposits *less* (i) balances with, and cheques in course of collection on, other banks in the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland and (ii) items in transit between offices of the same bank.
(3) Comprising (i) Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England, etc. (excluding special deposits), (ii) Money at call and short notice; (iii) Bills discounted, which include re-financeable export credits.
(4) Excluding items in transit.
(5) Excluding advances to nationalised industries (including, from 28 July 1967, the British Steel Corporation).
(6) The figures are affected by the exclusion of advances to the nationalised steel companies (see footnote (5)).
(7) Some changes have been made in the accounting procedures of the clearing banks. Changes in the treatment of transit items at mid-January 1970 are estimated to have reduced London clearing banks' gross deposits by about £30 million.

Source: Committee of London Clearing Bankers

Scottish banks

TABLE 146

£ million

	Net deposits (1)	Deposits: Total	Deposits: Current accounts	Deposits: Deposit accounts	Deposits: Other accounts	Scottish bank notes outstanding	Main assets: Liquid assets (2)(3)	Main assets: Special deposits with Bank of England (4)	Main assets: Investments	Main assets: Advances and other accounts (3)	Percentages of total deposits *plus* notes outstanding: Liquid assets (2) (3)	Special deposits with Bank of England (4)	Investments	Advances and other accounts (3)
1964	828·2	891·6	372·6	392·4	126·6	125·3	312·0	—	228·3	454·1	*30·7*	—	*22·5*	*44·7*
1965 Aver-	862·7	931·2	384·1	411·4	135·7	126·8	333·5	3·0	188·8	507·6	*31·5*	*0·3*	*17·8*	*48·0*
1966 ages of	903·8	977·2	397·2	433·2	146·8	130·2	354·9	7·1	197·1	514·1	*32·0*	*0·6*	*17·8*	*46·4*
monthly														
1967 figures	944·0	1,024·7	411·3	454·1	159·4	132·8	367·5	10·2	234·3	503·0	*31·8*	*0·9*	*20·2*	*43·5*
1968	1,018·1	1,105·8	445·8	488·0	172·0	139·2	393·0	11·0	271·7	519·7	*31·6*	*0·9*	*21·8*	*41·7*
1969	1,055·2	1,142·0	460·8	503·0	178·2	144·4	391·9	11·4	284·7	548·4	*30·5*	*0·9*	*22·1*	*42·6*
1967 July 19 ...	949·7	1,021·7	410·4	457·1	154·2	137·5	377·3	10·3	226·7	510·6	*32·5*	*0·9*	*19·6*	*44·0*
Aug. 16 ...	956·1	1,030·6	413·7	461·0	155·9	129·5	372·7	10·3	239·7	500·5	*32·1*	*0·9*	*20·7*	*43·1*
Sept. 20	956·9	1,031·0	413·5	459·8	157·7	130·7	358·1	10·3	247·7	509·2	*30·8*	*0·9*	*21·3*	*43·8*
Oct. 18 ...	969·0	1,051·4	426·0	465·5	159·9	131·9	379·7	10·3	249·1	501·1	*32·1*	*0·9*	*21·1*	*42·3*
Nov. 15	993·6	1,085·5	447·8	473·0	164·7	133·8	385·1	10·5	252·5	519·1	*31·6*	*0·9*	*20·7*	*42·6*
Dec. 13 ...	989·4	1,069·8	436·6	474·0	159·2	138·0	392·7	10·8	256·0	505·1	*32·5*	*0·9*	*21·2*	*41·8*
1968 Jan. 17 ...	985·5	1,082·5	434·8	476·2	171·5	132·9	390·4	10·7	255·3	499·6	*32·1*	*0·9*	*21·0*	*41·1*
Feb. 21 ...	976·4	1,068·2	425·7	473·3	169·1	134·7	369·2	10·7	256·3	512·3	*30·7*	*0·9*	*21·3*	*42·6*
March 20	987·4	1,098·3	439·3	478·6	180·3	137·0	358·7	10·7	252·6	540·3	*29·0*	*0·9*	*20·4*	*43·7*
April 17	999·6	1,079·2	428·2	477·2	173·8	140·9	372·8	11·0	251·6	542·8	*30·6*	*0·9*	*20·6*	*44·5*
May 15 ...	1,010·6	1,122·1	456·7	480·8	184·6	142·6	394·9	10·9	254·3	530·6	*31·2*	*0·9*	*20·1*	*42·0*
June 19 ...	1,004·2	1,091·6	437·7	486·8	167·0	142·6	388·2	11·2	265·5	519·3	*31·5*	*0·9*	*21·5*	*42·1*
July 17 ...	1,020·2	1,096·7	444·8	489·3	162·6	145·5	391·1	11·0	268·4	532·4	*31·5*	*0·9*	*21·6*	*42·9*
Aug. 21 ...	1,018·0	1,104·8	447·8	488·8	168·2	136·2	393·6	11·0	278·4	508·2	*31·7*	*0·9*	*22·4*	*41·0*
Sept. 18	1,029·9	1,092·8	442·8	488·7	161·3	137·8	398·5	11·1	281·6	513·3	*32·4*	*0·9*	*22·9*	*41·7*
Oct. 16 ...	1,048·9	1,126·7	453·6	504·0	169·1	138·2	418·9	10·9	292·3	503·7	*33·1*	*0·9*	*23·1*	*39·8*
Nov. 20 ...	1,078·9	1,169·3	475·9	506·7	186·7	139·3	426·2	11·3	304·5	515·6	*32·6*	*0·9*	*23·3*	*39·4*
Dec. 11 ...	1,057·4	1,137·7	462·3	505·2	170·2	143·3	413·5	11·7	299·1	518·6	*32·3*	*0·9*	*23·3*	*40·5*
1969 Jan. 15 ...	1,085·7	1,181·7	482·5	507·7	191·6	137·6	435·8	11·4	296·9	521·4	*33·0*	*0·9*	*22·5*	*39·5*
Feb. 19 ...	1,056·0	1,156·2	454·2	509·0	193·0	140·7	396·6	11·7	295·4	534·7	*30·6*	*0·9*	*22·8*	*41·2*
March 19	1,040·3	1,137·8	451·7	505·6	180·4	143·0	383·6	11·6	292·8	537·1	*29·9*	*0·9*	*22·9*	*41·9*
April 16	1,046·5	1,119·2	446·1	503·2	169·9	147·2	382·3	11·3	289·4	547·5	*30·2*	*0·9*	*22·8*	*43·2*
May 21 ...	1,070·2	1,150·3	462·3	504·5	183·5	146·9	382·8	11·1	285·5	574·1	*29·5*	*0·9*	*22·0*	*44·3*
June 18 ...	1,049·5	1,135·6	466·7	502·2	166·7	147·2	400·1	11·5	283·1	538·1	*31·2*	*0·9*	*22·1*	*41·9*
July 16 ...	1,067·7	1,169·3	472·2	500·8	196·3	150·9	390·8	11·4	294·3	562·4	*29·6*	*0·9*	*22·3*	*42·6*
Aug. 20 ...	1,039·0	1,118·6	438·7	500·9	179·0	140·4	346·2	11·6	279·1	576·5	*27·5*	*0·9*	*22·2*	*45·8*
Sept. 17	1,034·9	1,112·7	446·5	492·7	173·4	141·8	359·2	11·2	279·7	560·6	*28·6*	*0·9*	*22·3*	*44·7*
Oct. 15 ...	1,053· 7	1,129·0	459·7	508·3	161·0	142·9	381·7	11·1	274·2	562·7	*30·0*	*0·9*	*21·6*	*44·2*
Nov. 19 ...	1,064· 7	1,159·9	479·2	503·7	177·1	144·6	422·7	11·3	273·2	535·6	*32·4*	*0·9*	*20·9*	*41·1*
Dec. 10 ...	1,053·6	1,133·6	469·7	497·1	166·8	149·6	421·1	11·6	273·2	530·2	*32·8*	*0·9*	*21·3*	*41·3*
1970 Jan. 21(5)	1,073·3	1,103·9				144·6	428·4			535·7	*34·3*			*42·9*
Feb. 18 ...	1,069·4	1,086·8				147·6	402·1			551·6	*32·6*			*44·7*
March 18														

(1) Total deposits *less* items in transit between offices of the same bank.

(2) Comprising (i) Coin, notes and balances with Bank of England (excluding special deposits); (ii) Balances with other banks etc.; (iii) Money at call and short notice; (iv) Bills discounted.

(3) Liquid assets include, and Advances exclude, re-financeable export credits.

(4) Deposits called under the Special Deposits Scheme and not at the banks' free disposal.

(5) Some changes have been made in the accounting procedures of the clearing banks. Changes in the treatment of transit items at mid-January 1970 are estimated to have reduced Scottish banks' gross deposits by over £60 million.

Source: Committee of Scottish Bank General Managers

Bank clearings and currency circulation

TABLE 147

£ million

	Bank clearings(1)				Notes and coin outstanding					Average estimated currency in circulation with the public(5)	
	Credit clearing	Debit clearing			Total	Bank of England notes(2)	Scottish bank notes(3)	Northern Ireland bank notes(3)	Estimated coin(4)		
	Bankers' Clearing House	Total	Bankers' Clearing House	Provincial clearing houses							
	Average of working days										Index 1954=100
1964	25·6	1,164·5	1,155·0	9·50	2,956	2,602·2	128·8	7·2	217	2,332	150·4
1965	28·3	1,340·6	1,330·8	9·82	3,142	2,775·8	130·3	7·4	228	2,483	160·1
1966	30·9	1,483·6	1,473·1	10·47	3,323	2,936·9	133·8	7·8	244	2,637	170·0
1967	33·3	1,842·2	1,831·6	10·51	3,411	3,012·0	136·1	8·9	254	2,700	174·1
1968	38·0	1,961·6	1,959·3	2·31	3,579	3,160·7	142·0	10·9	265	2,838	183·0
1969	48·5	2,490·4	2,488·2	2·20							
1967 April ...	31·5	1,853·2	1,842·6	10·65	3,387	2,987·9	137·1	8·9	253	2,666	171·9
May	33·9	1,793·9	1,782·7	11·14	3,371	2,970·4	138·1	8·8	254	2,686	173·2
June... ...	32·7	1,763·3	1,753·2	10·15	3,403	3,000·4	139·4	8·9	254	2,695	173·8
July	32·6	1,825·1	1,815·3	9·79	3,454	3,050·4	140·4	9·0	254	2,736	176·4
August ...	32·8	1,811·1	1,801·0	10·12	3,467	3,070·4	132·5	8·8	255	2,737	176·5
September ...	30·9	1,642·9	1,634·4	8·49	3,423	3,025·4	133·4	8·7	255	2,706	174·5
October ...	34·7	1,842·9	1,833·0	9·89	3,400	3,000·4	134·8	8·7	256	2,712	174·9
November ...	35·6	2,172·3	2,160·9	11·42	3,455	3,051·2	137·0	9·3	257	2,740	176·7
December ...	38·3	1,932·8	1,922·0	10·84	3,622	3,212·9	141·0	9·7	258	2,839	183·0
1968 January ...	34·5	1,889·1	1,883·7	5·47	3,496	3,090·4	137·1	9·9	259	2,747	177·1
February ...	35·5	2,029·2	2,027·2	2·00	3,457	3,050·4	137·6	10·1	259	2,762	178·1
March ...	38·7	2,176·4	2,174·4	2·00	3,493	3,083·4	139·6	10·2	260	2,781	179·3
April ...	40·2	2,048·6	2,046·7	1·96	3,556	3,137·9	143·2	10·4	264	2,832	182·6
May	37·6	1,882·4	1,880·3	2·07	3,539	3,120·4	143·1	10·4	265	2,810	181·1
June... ...	36·3	1,752·1	1,750·2	1·92	3,572	3,150·4	145·2	10·8	266	2,839	183·0
July	39·4	1,981·4	1,979·4	2·00	3,646	3,220·4	147·5	11·1	267	2,893	186·5
August ...	34·4	1,909·5	1,907·5	1·95	3,632	3,212·9	139·5	11·4	268	2,871	185·1
September ...	38·2	1,930·9	1,929·0	1·88	3,620	3,200·4	140·2	11·4	268	2,851	183·8
October ...	39·4	1,968·1	1,966·2	1,93	3,572	3,150·4	140·7	11·6	269	2,848	183·6
November ...	38·3	1,933·5	1,931·5	2·00	3,612	3,187·9	142·8	11·9	269	2,862	184·5
December ...	44·8	2,059·8	2,057·5	2·29	3,767	3,337·9	146·2	12·5	270	2,979	192·1
1969 January ...	39·5	2,151·4	2,149·3	2·11	3,657	3,230·4	142·9	12·6	271	2,855	184·1
February ...	41·1	2,305·4	2,303·3	2·13	3,589	3,162·9	142·5	12·7	271	2,866	184·8
March ...	41·4	2,353·1	2,351·3	1·85	3,631	3,200·4	145·3	12·9	272	2,892	186·5
April ...	46·7	2,416·0	2,413·8	2·17	3,705	3,270·4	149·3	13·1	272	2,928	188·8
May	42·9	2,038·8	2,036·8	2·00	3,686	3,250·4	149·4	13·0	273	2,913	187·8
June... ...	45·2	2,357·6	2,355·6	1·96	3,738	3,300·4	151·2	12·9	273	2,920	188·3
July	53·0	2,720·6	2,718·3	2·35	3,779	3,340·4	151·3	12·9	274	2,981	192·2
August ...	50·9	2,538·4	2,535·9	2·52	3,786	3,350·4	148·6	13·0	274	2,954	190·4
September ...	55·8	2,633·2	2,631·0	2·29	3,756	3,325·4	143·7	12·8	274	2,927	188·7
October ...	54·3	2,907·0	2,904·6	2·39	3,684	3,250·4	145·3	12·9	275	2,880	185·7
November ...	56·7	2,981·7	2,979·2	2·50	3,700	3,263·4	148·3	13·1	275	2,870	185·0
December ...	61·5	2,743·0	2,740·7	2·33	3,892	3,450·4	152·8	13·4	275	2,987	192·6
1970 January ...	49·6	2,931·3	2,928·6	2·64	3,754	3,313·4	151·1	13·3	276	2,874	185·3
February ...	51·4	3,264·1	3,261·2	2·90	3,690	3,250·4	150.1	13·2	276	2,896	186·7
March ...											

(1) Figures are not strictly comparable throughout owing to changes in the composition of the clearings. From 12 January 1968 provincial clearings, with the exception of the afternoon clearing at Liverpool, were abolished and transferred to General clearing. From 1 July 1969 all figures are worked on a 5 day week.

(2) Average of Wednesdays. Includes Bank of England notes held by the Scottish and Northern Ireland Banks as cover for their note issues in excess of the authorised circulation.

(3) Months: average of Saturdays in the consecutive four-week periods as published in *The London Gazette* or in *The Belfast Gazette*, with as close a correspondence as possible to the calendar months. Years: average of the thirteen published figures.

(4) Excluding coin in the Bank of England, Issue Department.

(5) Total notes and coin outstanding, *less* notes and coin held by the Bank of England, Banking Department, and by the London clearing banks, Scottish banks and Northern Ireland banks.

Sources: Bank of England
Bankers' Clearing House

Analysis of bank advances(1)

Amounts outstanding

TABLE 148 — £ million

	Total	Manufacturing									Other production		
		Food, drink, and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries (2)	Metal manufacture	Electrical engineering	Other engineering and metal goods	Shipbuilding	Vehicles	Textiles, leather and clothing	Other manufacturing	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Construction
Great Britain													
1967	7,535·7	268·0	216·3	189·1	247·1	480·4	76·0	277·7	236·6	312·9	491·5	84·0	359·6
1968	8,841·3	292·6	208·6	159·6	305·5	516·0	98·9	266·2	251·1	335·4	514·6	94·6	370·7
1969	10,420·1	340·4	233·1	190·5	364·7	621·1	152·5	345·6	293·6	403·7	529·1	101·8	378·0
1967 February	7,268·5	241·2	213·9	197·0	242·7	481·5	65·1	269·9	227·2	297·9	473·9	80·9	345·0
May	7,367·4	256·8	210·1	182·1	239·8	480·3	72·9	281·5	237·1	309·6	447·3	84·8	367·6
August	7,646·7	281·5	223·6	160·0	251·4	477·5	81·6	267·0	258·7	323·7	504·3	84·8	366·6
November	7,860·1	292·6	217·4	217·2	254·6	482·3	84·3	292·5	223·2	320·5	510·6	85·3	359·2
1968 February(3)	8,483·6	285·0	214·7	192·0	284·9	504·1	92·9	270·5	234·2	327·3	489·9	91·2	370·8
May	8,786·7	310·9	211·4	142·1	303·8	499·1	93·6	293·6	255·0	333·4	507·5	101·0	373·0
August	8,952·6	285·0	206·1	140·5	319·8	522·0	98·7	278·5	276·0	341·8	527·7	92·6	369·3
November	9,142·2	289·6	202·2	163·8	313·6	538·9	110·4	222·2	239·1	338·9	533·4	93·4	369·6
1969 February	9,904·6	305·5	241·1	195·0	329·3	578·4	129·3	312·9	277·1	382·5	527·6	117·8	389·2
May	10,567·2	348·1	228·4	192·4	362·4	626·6	141·8	310·4	302·2	410·4	518·6	96·5	377·9
August	10,735·3	342·0	226·2	204·7	376·9	644·1	157·9	364·1	314·6	417·5	543·1	97·6	373·2
November	10,505·9	366·0	236·6	169·9	390·3	635·3	181·1	394·8	280·4	404·4	527·0	95·4	371·5
1970 February	10,886·5	371·8	268·0	150·9	374·3	692·4	201·3	439·1	301·2	421·9	503·8	92·6	408·0
London clearing banks													
1969 May	5,406·7	246·7	107·2	158·2	272·0	485·6	108·1	231·3	241·7	289·3	430·9	25·1	307·2
August	5,561·3	237·9	116·3	166·5	298·0	502·0	124·6	274·5	252·4	291·5	450·9	33·0	304·4
November	5,271·6	248·7	118·0	135·6	305·5	483·2	139·6	308·3	218·8	282·7	437·9	35·4	300·3
1970 February	5,436·5	239·2	118·7	118·8	294·2	519·2	159·4	352·6	227·3	228·8	416·9	29·2	326·4
Scottish banks													
1969 May	571·5	33·8	9·9	13·2	8·7	45·9	24·8	5·9	22·1	27·1	78·4	0·9	28·2
August	570·2	34·3	7·1	14·5	9·1	47·2	24·0	7·7	21·5	25·9	81·6	0·9	27·6
November	541·4	42·9	6·9	12·8	8·4	48·6	30·5	5·4	19·9	26·2	79·6	0·7	30·1
1970 February	559·7	38·2	7·3	10·8	9·5	50·4	28·6	7·2	21·9	28·7	77·3	1·1	31·8
Other banks(4)													
1969 May	4,589·0	67·6	111·3	21·0	81·7	95·1	8·9	73·2	38·4	94·0	9·3	70·5	42·5
August	4,603·8	69·8	102·8	23·7	69·8	94·9	9·3	81·9	40·7	100·1	10·6	63·7	41·2
November	4,692·9	74·4	111·7	21·5	76·4	103·5	11·0	81·1	41·7	95·5	9·5	59·3	41·1
1970 February	4,890·3	94·4	142·0	21·3	70·6	122·8	13·3	79·3	52·0	104·4	9·6	62·3	49·8
Northern Ireland													
1968	118·6	4·5	..	2·4					6·6	3·9	18·2	0·8	5·4
1969	138·8	4·8	..	3·0					7·8	4·2	19·8	1·0	6·2
1969 February	128·5	4·6	..	2·7					6·6	4·3	18·5	0·9	6·1
May	137·3	4·5	..	2·8					7·7	4·7	19·5	1·0	6·0
August	144·4	4·5	..	3·2					8·1	4·0	20·5	1·0	6·3
November	145·0	5·5	..	3·4					8·9	3·7	20·6	1·1	6·2

(1) The annual figures are averages of the figures for February, May, August and November.
(2) Included in Other manufacturing in Northern Ireland.
(3) The February 1968 figures are affected by the revaluation of foreign currency advances after 18 November 1967, and by the inclusion of several new contributors. Together, these accounted for some £260 million of the increase over the quarter in total advances (U.K. residents+£60 million and overseas residents+£200 million).

Source: Bank of England

Analysis of bank advances(1)

TABLE 148 (*continued*) **Amounts outstanding** £ million

	Financial				Services						Personal		
	Hire purchase finance companies (5)	Property companies	United Kingdom banks (5)	Other financial	Transport and communication	Public utilities and national government	Local government (5)	Retail distribution	Other distribution	Professional, scientific and miscellaneous	House purchase	Other personal	Overseas residents (including banks overseas) (5)
Great Britain													
1967	118·0	336·9	22·8	299·3	161·3	66·9	96·4	353·7	368·4	478·9	337·3	541·1	1,111·8
1968	136·2	346·0	41·0	411·3	175·4	73·4	121·1	367·9	420·2	548·7	363·0	613·1	1,810·5
1969	122·1	319·7	69·3	445·9	209·9	80·4	125·5	369·2	476·8	588·7	378·1	547·5	2,733·0
1967 February	125·8	327·6	23·4	296·2	161·9	63·2	103·4	338·2	355·7	471·0	323·0	496·9	1,046·0
May	116·0	339·1	17·5	282·3	153·4	46·8	86·9	374·6	361·5	482·6	327·4	514·5	1,064·9
August	115·8	338·1	23·3	300·9	156·5	66·0	86·0	355·8	378·4	481·8	344·0	562·2	1,157·2
November	114·3	342·6	27·0	317·8	173·4	91·5	109·3	346·2	377·8	480·0	354·6	606·8	1,179·1
1968 February(3)	134·4	348·3	30·4	388·5	181·4	71·7	161·2	343·3	413·8	528·5	354·2	613·2	1,557·2
May	150·3	348·0	39·3	408·8	180·2	73·5	185·6	378·9	402·0	555·2	355·4	603·1	1,682·0
August	131·1	353·9	43·7	417·5	168·7	70·2	76·5	378·7	435·6	550·5	368·4	619·6	1,880·2
November	128·9	333·6	50·7	430·4	171·3	78·2	60·9	370·6	429·3	560·7	373·8	616·3	2,122·4
1969 February	131·5	323·3	54·6	438·0	181·0	84·5	81·7	377·4	462·3	624·1	380·0	598·2	2,382·3
May	126·9	310·7	67·2	456·3	208·8	71·6	183·7	382·6	484·1	595·0	374·5	561·9	2,828·2
August	124·0	321·8	87·9	449·9	224·3	95·6	170·7	366·6	494·8	586·9	379·3	535·9	2,835·7
November	106·1	322·8	67·6	439·5	225·4	69·8	66·0	350·0	465·9	548·9	378·7	501·1	2,911·4
1970 February	99·6	332·0	68·1	466·6	248·2	89·8	108·0	346·2	464·4	590·6	381·3	506·8	2,959·6
London clearing banks													
1969 May	85·3	196·4	18·3	118·3	110·6	59·5	114·5	319·9	268·5	449·7	308·3	422·9	31·2
August	88·8	210·2	24·2	122·8	113·5	77·5	103·8	308·0	277·1	435·6	307·8	405·1	34·9
November	70·7	210·7	19·3	109·3	108·4	57·9	32·0	290·2	248·9	400·9	302·8	375·6	30·9
1970 February	64·8	217·3	18·2	113·0	112·6	73·4	60·0	284·7	254·1	422·5	304·0	382·3	38·9
Scottish banks													
1969 May	13·5	15·3	2·7	19·2	17·6	5·7	40·2	24·8	27·5	45·0	13·1	44·1	3·9
August	11·7	16·5	2·8	17·0	20·4	11·3	39·7	21·8	28·5	40·4	13·9	40·3	4·5
November	10·1	15·8	2·9	15·7	19·4	5·7	13·0	22·3	28·6	39·9	14·7	39·2	2·1
1970 February	10·0	16·1	3·1	18·8	21·2	9·6	17·0	22·0	27·9	45·8	13·9	38·8	2·7
Other banks(4)													
1969 May	28·1	99·0	46·2	318·8	80·6	6·4	29·0	37·9	188·1	100·3	53·1	94·9	2,793·1
August	23·5	95·1	60·9	310·1	90·4	6·8	27·2	36·8	189·2	110·9	57·6	90·5	2,796·3
November	25·3	96·3	45·4	314·5	97·6	6·2	21·0	37·5	188·4	108·1	61·2	86·3	2,878·4
1970 February	24·8	98·6	46·8	334·8	114·4	6·8	31·0	39·5	182·4	122·3	63·4	85·7	2,918·0
Northern Ireland													
1968	0·9	2·5	1·8		3·2		4·5	15·4	8·6	21·4	18·7		—
1969	0·8	3·0	2·3		3·1		10·6	17·3	9·4	23·7	21·9		—
1969 February	0·8	2·3	1·9		2·5		8·6	16·5	9·3	21·5	21·4		—
May	0·8	2·7	2·3		3·7		10·3	17·0	9·5	22·1	22·7		—
August	0·7	2·8	2·4		3·1		13·0	17·1	9·9	25·0	22·8		—
November	1·0	4·0	2·6		3·0		10·6	18·5	9·0	26·2	20·7		—

(4) Other banks includes accepting houses, overseas banks and other domestic banks.
(5) Excluding funds placed through the specialised financial markets.

Source: Bank of England

Discount market

TABLE 149 — £ million

	Assets								Borrowed funds(1)						
	Total	British govt. stocks (2)	British govt. Treasury bills	Other sterling bills (3)	Local authority securities	Negotiable certificates of deposit: Sterling	U.S. dollars	Other	Total	Bank of England, Banking department	London clearing banks	Scottish banks	Other deposit banks	Accepting houses, overseas banks and other banks	Other sources
1966 At end of year	1,565	542	424	404	101	—	—	95	1,484	82	978	94	11	201	119
1967 At end of year	1,747	544	548	437	115	—	14	89	1,662	116	1,076	102	21	218	130
1968 At end of year	1,663	306	471	560	148	56	39	83	1,573	—	1,132	100	15(4)	204	121
1969 At end of year	1,817	364	399	624	192	97	34	108	1,725	—	1,304	98	12	202	109
1967 Mar. 31	1,444	678	219	379	86	—	3	78	1,361	47	857	74	25	226	133
June 30	1,428	498	436	317	100	—	6	71	1,346	120	616	77	29	291	214
Sept. 30	1,588	452	564	368	125	—	8	71	1,499	39	913	95	34	275	143
Dec. 31	1,747	544	548	437	118	—	14	89	1,662	116	1,076	102	21	218	130
1968 Mar. 31	1,459	573	255	414	181	—	14	73	1,368	210	817	67	21	154	98
June 30	1,383	378	287	509	130	—	17	61	1,297	161	762	75	17	158	124
Sept. 30	1,563	521	261	500	157	—	43	82	1,466	31	1,044	95	12	161	123
Dec. 31	1,663	306	471	560	148	56	39	83	1,573	—	1,132	100	15(4)	204	121
1969 Mar. 31	1,357	254	261	520	140	60	24	99	1,270	—	913	52	15	166	125
June 30	1,424	259	280	555	155	72	19	83	1,336	17	1,001	47	7	159	106
Sept. 30	1,398	256	212	561	180	79	20	90	1,311	—	974	62	9	166	99
Dec. 31	1,817	364	399	624	192	97	34	108	1,725	—	1,304	98	12	202	109

(1) Excluding capital and reserves. (2) At nominal value. (3) Including Treasury bills of the Northern Ireland Government and Local authority bills. (4) From December 1968 includes the National Giro.

Source: London Discount Market Association

Hire purchase and other instalment credit

Great Britain

TABLE 150 — **Finance houses and durable goods shops** — £ million

	Index numbers of new hire purchase and other instalment credit business		Hire purchase and other credit instalments outstanding			
	Weekly average value of sales of durable goods shops	Credit extended by finance houses direct to hirers per month(1)	Total outstanding (1)	Owing directly to: Durable goods shops and department stores	Finance houses(1)	Other instalment credit retailers(2)
	1961=100	1966=100	End of period			
1967	94	111	1,266	276	782	208
1968	102	115	1,311	281	808	222
1969	94	105	1,295	276	787	232
1968 October	115	120	1,278	270	823	185
November	116	103	1,296	276	823	197
December	110*	78	1,311	281	808	222
1969 January	88	95	1,287	276	800	211
February	87	96	1,277	273	798	206
March	86*	116	1,272	268	801	203
April	83	119	1,271	266	804	201
May	91	111	1,277	269	804	204
June	88*	112	1,279	266	810	203
July	91*	109	1,269	265	809	195
August	89	110	1,267	265	811	191
September	92*	99	1,261	264	808	189
October	108	110	1,264	265	804	195
November	116	93	1,277	269	800	208
December	115*	85	1,295	276	787	232
1970 January	94	100	1,282	276	780	226
February						
March						

(1) Figures revised in the light of rebasing of the finance houses series using the results of an inquiry into business in 1965.
(2) Comprising general stores (other than department stores), general mail order houses and co-operative non-durable goods departments.
* Average of five weeks.

Source: Board of Trade

TABLE 151

National savings

£ million

	Total outstanding at end of period	National savings certificates					Defence bonds, national development bonds and British savings bonds(1)			Premium savings bonds		
		Purchases	Repayments		Amount remaining invested at end of period		Purchases	Repayments	Amount remaining invested at end of period	Purchases	Repayments	Amount remaining invested at end of period
			Principal	Accrued interest	Principal	Accrued interest (2)						
1966	8,333·8	359·3	349·2	139·1	1,980·3	586·5	84·1	225·7	1,064·0	90·4	45·2	575·1
1967	8,464·4	324·0	262·5	107·6	2,041·9	575·7	92·9	175·8	981·0	96·8	49·3	622·6
1968	8,543·2	248·2	259·5	104·2	2,030·5	571·6	80·7	143·9	917·3	118·1	50·6	690·1
1969(3) ...	8,448·5	209·3	292·9	114·0	1,947·0	560·1	111·0	202·5	825·9	117·7	56·7	751·1
1969 January	8,575·6	18·6	23·3	9·3	2,025·9	571·1	5·4	6·9	915·7	13·7	4·3	699·3
February	8,600·3	15·3	20·9	8·4	2,020·3	571·5	3·9	7·9	911·7	10·8	3·8	706·5
March ...	8,614·8	10·9	17·3	7·1	2,013·9	573·1	2·9	5·5	909·1	10·8	4·5	712·8
April ...	8,612·2	19·3	24·7	9·8	2,008·5	572·2	3·3	11·5	901·0	9·6	4·6	717·8
May ...	8,588·0	26·9	32·0	12·9	2,003·4	568·0	11·6	16·2	896·4	9·7	4·7	722·8
June ...	8,548·3	18·6	25·7	9·9	1,996·2	566·9	14·8	34·1	877·1	8·7	5·1	726·4
July ...	8,512·2	17·2	25·3	9·7	1,988·1	566·0	13·7	15·7	875·1	9·4	5·6	730·2
August ...	8,499·5	18·0	27·4	10·6	1,978·7	564·2	15·3	16·6	873·8	9·2	5·0	734·4
Sept. ...	8,510·6	12·2	20·6	7·7	1,970·3	565·0	9·7	11·1	872·5	9·5	4·7	739·2
October	8,520·5	22·6	34·3	13·4	1,958·7	560·4	15·6	17·9	870·2	10·4	5·3	744·3
Nov.	8,480·5	17·1	24·9	9·8	1,950·9	559·3	8·8	32·0	847·0	8·1	4·6	747·8
Dec.(3)	8,448·5	12·6	16·5	6·3	1,947·0	560·1	6·0	27·1	825·9	7·8	4·5	751·1
1970 January (3)	8,479·2	17·9	26·2	10·2	1,938·7	558·3	8·4	8·2	825·8	10·9	5·3	756·7
Feb.(3)	8,499·1	18·4	26·4	10·6	1,930·7	556·6	6·5	6·0	826·3	11·3	4·9	763·1
March ...												

	Save-As-You-Earn(4)		National Savings Bank				Trustee savings banks				Other securities on the National Savings stock register outstanding at end of period(6)
	Department for National Savings	Trustee savings banks	Ordinary accounts		Investment accounts		Ordinary departments		Special investment departments		
	Amount remaining invested at end of period		Deposits and withdrawals (net change)	Balance at end of period (5)	Deposits and withdrawals (net change)	Balance at end of period (5)	Deposits and withdrawals (net change)	Balance at end of period (5)	Deposits and withdrawals (net change)	Balance at end of period (5)	
1966 ...			−125·7	1,740·9	52·5	53·3	−17·2	1,041·0	61·6	1,109·9	182·8
1967 ...			−112·9	1,667·7	57·8	115·7	− 9·0	1,055·9	48·4	1,215·9	188·0
1968 ...			−121·3	1,589·3	64·9	189·9	−26·7	1,053·6	25·4	1,311·4	189·5
1969(3) ...	1·1	0·7	−128·4	1,499·1	41·6	244·6	−32·7	1,042·9	−22·0	1,367·9	208·1
1969 Jan. ...			1·9	1,594·4	6·7	197·7	3·3	1,058·8	4·7	1,322·8	189·7
Feb. ...			− 5·0	1,592·6	5·0	203·7	11·9	1,072·7	2·4	1,331·8	189·5
March			− 8·5	1,587·3	4·9	209·7	6·2	1,080·8	0·9	1,339·3	188·8
April			− 11·4	1,579·1	3·8	214·5	2·6	1,085·4	− 1·1	1,344·8	188·9
May ...			− 18·7	1,564·6	2·9	217·2	− 8·6	1,078·6	− 4·1	1,347·0	190·0
June ...			− 18·0	1,549·8	1·6	219·9	−10·5	1,070·2	− 5·0	1,349·1	192·7
July ...			− 19·4	1,533·4	2·2	223·2	−19·7	1,052·5	− 5·8	1,350·1	193·6
Aug....			− 10·6	1,525·8	3·0	227·5	− 9·4	1,045·1	− 2·1	1,354·7	195·3
Sept....			− 7·0	1,521·9	2·8	231·4	4·7	1,051·6	− 0·9	1,360·5	198·2
Oct....	0·2	0·1	− 5·3	1,519·5	4·1	236·7	5·4	1,058·9	2·0	1,369·2	202·3
Nov.	0·6	0·4	− 10·9	1,511·6	3·2	241·9	11·9	1,049·8	− 7·2	1,366·3	204·9
Dec.(3)	1·1	0·7	− 15·5	1,499·1	1·4	244·6	− 6·7	1,042·9	− 9·8	1,367·9	208·1
1970 Jan.(3)	1·9	1·1	1·6	1,503·7	6·0	252·0	6·5	1,051·3	2·4	1,377·6	212·1
Feb.(3)	2·7	1·5	− 3·9	1,502·7	3·5	256·9	8·3	1,061·8	1·0	1,384·7	212·1
March											

(1) National development bonds were replaced by British savings bonds on 1 April 1968.
(2) Including estimated accrued interest. (3) Provisional.
(4) Contracts in force on 28 February 1970 numbered 158,000 (D.N.S.) and 70,000 (T.S.B.).
(5) Including accrued interest to date.
(6) Nominal value held on behalf of depositors (National and trustee savings banks section).

Source: Department for National Savings

Security prices and yields

TABLE 152

	British government securities					Industrial securities					
	Calculated gross redemption yields(1)			2½% Consols(3)		F.T.–Actuaries share indices(4) 10 April 1962=100					
						Debenture and loan stocks		Commercial and industrial preference stocks		Industrial ordinary (500 shares)	
	Short-dated (5 years)	Medium-dated (10 years)	Long-dated (20 years)	Net price	Flat yield	Price index	Redemption yield(5)	Price index	Average yield	Price index	Dividend yield
1964	5·54	5·70	5·98	41·5	6·03	105·56	..	103·23	6·93	113·37	4·63
1965	6·57	6·55	6·56	39·0	6·42	99·35	7·07	103·21	6·93	106·69	5·54
1966(2)	6·77	6·87	6·94	36·7	6·80	92·62	7·70	100·12	7·15	107·59	5·67
1967	6·66	6·70	6·80	37·4	6·69	94·07	7·56	103·63	6·92	114·92	5·16
1968	7·59	7·51	7·55	33·8	7·39	87·60	8·24	100·50	7·25	162·38	3·69
1969	8·81	8·83	9·05	28·2	8·88	71·86	10·30	82·66	9·05	160·53	3·90
1968 October	7·49	7·52	7·63	33·6	7·44	86·66	8·37	99·34	7·36	175·43	3·42
November	7·64	7·73	7·83	32·8	7·63	85·46	8·51	99·48	7·35	177·57	3·40
December	7·92	8·01	8·09	31·3	7·99	81·30	9·00	96·45	7·58	181·42	3·33
1969 January	8·10	8·26	8·36	30·4	8·24	78·70	9·33	91·11	8·03	189·17	3·20
February	8·18	8·40	8·57	29·8	8·40	77·63	9·47	88·16	8·34	183·25	3·38
March	8·52	8·66	8·77	29·0	8·62	76·14	9·67	86·14	8·57	175·38	3·51
April	8·56	8·65	8·85	28·5	8·78	74·17	9·95	83·41	8·85	173·19	3·59
May	9·00	8·97	9·15	27·5	9·08	71·92	10·27	80·24	9·21	164·69	3·79
June	9·34	9·29	9·55	26·4	9·46	68·66	10·77	74·60	9·97	152·91	4·09
July	9·04	8·98	9·27	27·6	9·06	69·63	10·62	80·71	9·23	147·70	4·24
August	9·08	9·02	9·34	27·2	9·18	69·06	10·71	81·37	9·29	147·12	4·26
September	9·14	9·06	9·37	27·1	9·22	68·23	10·84	80·88	9·34	149·02	4·20
October	8·99	8·84	9·03	28·5	8·76	69·29	10·67	81·80	9·24	146·33	4·27
November	8·96	8·92	9·13	28·0	8·92	70·22	10·53	82·77	9·19	147·79	4·20
December	8·86	8·91	9·15	28·0	8·94	69·05	10·71	81·33	9·29	152·10	4·08
1970 January	8·79	8·89	9·03	28·4	8·82	70·23	10·53	81·10	9·32	160·12	3·85
February	8·64	8·68	8·79	29·3	8·53	72·18	10·24	83·53	9·06	155·09	4·00
March											

(1) Derived from yield-maturity curves fitted by computer; an outline of the method used was given in the *Bank of England Quarterly Bulletin* for March 1967. Taxes are ignored. The yearly figures are averages of end month yields. The monthly figures are averages of Wednesdays.
(2) From January 1963 stocks with coupons below 4 per cent were omitted from the calculations and from January 1966 the limit was 5 per cent. The break in January 1966 causes a drop of 0·06 per cent in the short-dated series but does not affect the medium or long-dated series.
(3) Average of working days, based on the mean of the middle opening and middle closing prices each day, excluding gross accrued interest; tax is ignored.
(4) Averages of daily figures calculated from middle market closing prices.
(5) Gross redemption yields of 15 stocks so combined as to give a yield average for a constant 20-year term.

Sources: Bank of England
Financial Times
Institute of Actuaries
Faculty of Actuaries

Bank rate

TABLE 153

Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate	Date of change	New rate
	Per cent		Per cent		Per cent
1960 January 21	5	1963 January 3	4	1967 October 19	6
June 23	6			November 9	6½
October 27	5½	1964 February 27	5	November 18	8
December 8	5	November 23	7		
				1968 March 21	7½
1961 July 25	7	1965 June 3	6	September 19	7
October 5	6½				
November 2	6	1966 July 14	7	1969 February 27	8
1962 March 8	5½	1967 January 26	6½	1970 March 5	7½
March 22	5	March 16	6		
April 26	4½	May 4	5½		

Source: Bank of England

XVII. WAGES AND PRICES

Average weekly earnings of manual workers(1)

TABLE 154

Earnings expressed as percentage increase over April 1956

	All operatives (excluding part-time workers)		Men (aged 21 and over)(2)		Youths and boys		Women (aged 18 and over)				Girls	
							Full-time		Part-time			
	Earnings (2)	Wage rates(3)	Earnings									
Manufacturing and certain other industries	percentage		s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent.	s. d.	per cent
1962	34	24	317 3	35	141 9	41	160 10	34	83 1	38	104 1	32
1963 October	41	27	334 11	42	148 8	48	168 3	40	87 3	45	109 2	39
1964	53	34	362 2	54	163 2	62	179 1	49	92 11	55	119 4	52
1965	66	40	391 9	66	179 10	79	191 11	60	100 8	68	129 6	64
1966 October	73	46	406 1	72	191 9	91	201 4	68	106 4	77	135 9	72
1967	83	54	427 6	81	201 8	101	211 2	76	110 7	84	140 0	78
1968 April	91	61	445 3	89	215 3	114	218 10	82	114 11	91	150 8	91
October	97	63	459 11	95	214 6	113	225 11	88	118 7	97	151 4	92
1969 April	106	68	478 3	103	229 10	129	234 8	96	123 6	106	158 0	101
October	113		496 5	111	233 0	132	242 3	102	128 0	113	160 10	104
Manufacturing industries												
1962	33	23	326 10	34	142 8	43	160 7	34	84 10	36	104 6	32
1963 October	40	26	245 9	41	149 2	50	168 2	40	89 2	43	109 9	38
1964	52	32	373 4	53	163 11	65	178 11	49	94 8	51	119 11	51
1965	65	38	403 3	65	181 10	83	191 11	60	102 11	65	130 2	64
1966 October	71	44	415 6	70	192 5	93	201 3	68	108 5	73	136 6	72
1967	80	51	437 9	79	201 4	102	210 10	76	113 3	81	140 8	78
1968 April	89	59	456 6	87	215 1	116	219 2	83	117 3	88	151 8	91
October	95	60	472 4	93	214 10	116	226 3	89	121 2	94	152 1	92
1969 April	104	67	492 7	101	233 4	134	234 10	96	126 5	102	158 9	100
October	111		510 10	109	235 6	136	242 5	102	130 11	109	161 6	104

(1) The figures represent the average earnings, including bonus, overtime, etc., and before deduction of income tax or insurance contributions, in one week in the months indicated. Administrative and clerical workers and other salaried persons have been excluded. Certain qualifications are given in a full account of the enquiry relating to April 1967, published in the *Ministry of Labour Gazette* for August 1967.

(2) From and including October 1967 includes (a) dock workers previously on daily or half-daily engagements and (b) postmen.

(3) This index relates only to the industries covered by the earnings enquiry. It should not be confused with the figures in Table 158 which cover all industries.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Average weekly hours worked(1)

TABLE 155

	Manufacturing and certain other industries					Manufacturing industries				
	Men (aged 21 and over) (2)	Youths and boys	Women (aged 18 and over)		Girls	Men (aged 21 and over)	Youths and boys	Women (aged 18 and over)		Girls
			Full-time	Part-time				Full-time	Part-time	
1962	47·0	43·4	39·4	21·8	40·3	46·2	42·7	39·3	22·0	40·3
1963 October	47·6	43·6	39·7	21·9	40·5	46·8	42·9	39·6	22·1	40·5
1964	47·7	43·6	39·4	21·7	40·3	46·9	43·0	39·3	21·9	40·3
1965	47·0	42·8	38·7	21·7	39·6	46·1	42·0	38·6	21·9	39·6
1966 October	46·0	42·2	38·1	21·5	38·7	45·0	41·4	38·0	21·7	38·7
1967	46·2	42·0	38·2	21·4	38·8	45·3	41·2	38·0	21·7	38·8
1968 April	46·2	42·1	38·4	21·5	38·9	45·6	41·4	38·3	21·7	38·9
October	46·4	41·9	38·3	21·5	38·8	45·8	41·3	38·2	21·7	38·8
1969 April	46·4	42·0	38·3	21·4	38·8	45·7	41·4	38·1	21·6	38·8
October	46·5	41·8	38·1	21·4	38·5	45·7	41·2	37·9	21·7	38·5

(1) The figures include overtime and correspond with those for average earnings in Table 156.

(2) See footnote (2) to Table 154.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index of average earnings of all employees (monthly enquiry) (1)

Great Britain

January 1966 = 100

TABLE 156

	All industries and services covered(2)		Manufacturing industries									
	Unadjusted	Seasonally adjusted	All manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering and electrical goods	Shipbuilding and marine engineering	Vehicles	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur
1964...	90·3	..	90·2	90·7	89·2	91·8	90·2	85·7	92·2	90·9	89·5	91·5
1965...	97·0	..	96·4	97·3	96·3	98·3	95·9	94·7	97·9	97·2	95·7	97·8
1966...	103·3	..	102·3	104·1	102·5	102·9	101·6	102·8	103·1	102·5	102·3	101·9
1967...	106·7	..	105·7	109·2	106·4	106·3	104·8	104·0	105·2	106·0	106·2	103·2
1968...	115·3	..	114·7	117·9	114·7	115·0	112·8	113·8	116·2	114·5	116·6	112·6
1967 January ...	103·1	103·1	102·2	103·7	102·5	102·6	102·3	103·8	101·3	102·0	102·6	100·0
February ...	104·1	103·5	103·5	104·5	110·6	104·3	103·0	103·0	101·6	102·8	104·4	100·5
March ...	102·4	103·4	101·8	111·8	101·8	103·2	100·9	98·5	100·0	101·0	97·9	99·2
April	105·6	104·3	104·4	105·5	103·6	104·6	103·8	104·4	104·9	105·0	105·1	103·2
May	105·9	104·4	105·0	106·1	103·5	104·9	104·8	105·4	106·0	105·4	105·5	102·0
June	108·0	105·4	106·5	110·7	105·7	106·7	105·2	105·3	106·3	107·3	107·5	103·4
July	108·8	106·6	107·5	111·1	107·8	109·2	106·3	108·4	106·0	109·0	109·7	105·6
August ...	106·2	106·5	105·0	109·0	104·4	107·6	104·2	102·8	104·2	105·7	106·9	101·5
September ...	108·2	108·0	106·7	109·1	106·1	108·4	105·9	105·2	103·8	108·1	107·9	107·1
October ...	109·2	108·6	108·2	109·7	107·5	108·5	107·3	104·4	109·5	108·6	110·2	108·7
November ...	110·6	110·1	109·7	110·8	112·8	109·0	108·2	106·1	111·7	111·7	110·8	107·3
December ...	107·8	109·5	107·5	117·8	111·0	106·9	105·7	100·3	107·5	105·6	106·1	100·1
1968 January ...	110·9	110·9	110·7	111·7	112·5	110·0	109·1	109·8	112·2	111·5	112·9	106·3
February ...	112·2	111·5	112·0	111·5	119·6	111·6	110·0	107·8	113·8	111·7	114·0	108·2
March ...	114·6	112·5	114·3	121·7	113·5	113·1	112·3	110·8	115·8	113·9	115·4	111·8
April	113·4	112·9	112·3	114·3	112·2	113·1	110·8	111·9	114·1	111·8	112·8	111·2
May	114·9	113·2	114·1	115·6	112·8	113·9	112·3	115·1	116·6	114·4	116·5	112·6
June	116·4	113·7	116·0	120·4	115·8	115·8	114·3	114·7	117·0	115·6	118·0	113·1
July	116·3	113·9	115·8	119·5	113·5	117·1	113·8	118·0	117·6	115·2	118·7	114·2
August ...	114·9	115·3	113·8	117·4	112·8	115·9	111·6	111·8	115·9	113·2	116·4	111·3
September ...	116·3	116·1	115·1	118·3	113·5	117·2	113·3	115·7	115·0	114·0	117·0	114·5
October ...	117·3	116·7	115·8	117·5	114·5	117·0	113·5	113·7	117·6	116·8	119·3	115·7
November ...	118·9	118·5	118·1	119·5	117·9	117·8	116·0	118·8	120·3	120·1	120·1	118·2
December ...	117·7	119·5	117·9	127·2	118·3	117·8	117·0	117·8	117·9	115·6	117·7	113·9
1969 January ...	119·9	119·9	119·8	120·7	120·3	121·3	118·9	119·8	122·8	119·0	121·4	113·8
February ...	119·4	118·7	119·6	120·3	128·3	120·9	117·6	122·0	120·8	120·1	121·0	113·7
March ...	122·8	120·5	122·5	129·7	121·7	123·2	120·4	122·5	125·8	122·0	122·1	116·7
April	123·2	122·7	122·6	123·6	121·3	122·9	121·6	125·6	126·2	123·6	123·3	122·0
May	122·3	120·5	121·8	124·2	121·0	122·3	120·3	124·3	125·7	124·3	122·8	115·7
June	125·8	122·9	125·0	129·1	124·9	126·2	123·1	132·4	127·3	126·6	125·0	119·6
July ...	125·4	122·8	124·6	127·5	126·0	125·2	122·8	127·9	127·9	125·3	126·8	122·4
August ...	123·5	123·9	123·0	126·7	123·4	126·3	120·3	123·7	125·1	124·0	125·3	116·9
September ...	125·7	125·5	124·8	127·0	124·7	128·0	123·3	128·2	125·7	125·0	125·4	119·3
October ...	127·2	126·5	126·2	126·9	125·4	128·2	125·2	132·8	127·3	126·5	127·3	125·0
November ...	128·5	127·9	128·2	129·9	131·0	129·0	126·5	134·9	129·2	130·4	127·7	122·6
December (7)	127·8	129·8	128·2	135·5	130·5	127·9	129·0	128·9	129·4	127·5	125·0	114·6
1970 January(7) ...	129·7	129·7	130·2	129·7	130·7	131·5	129·3	137·5	134·8	132·2	128·9	116·7
February ...												
March ...												

(1) This index is compiled from the results of a monthly enquiry into total wage and salary earnings. The index has been revised and a full description is given in the *Ministry of Labour Gazette* for March 1967.

(2) The industries included in the enquiry are manufacturing, agriculture, mining, construction, gas, electricity, water, transport and communication and certain miscellaneous services. The coverage of the returns is virtually complete in gas, electricity, coalmining and rail transport. In the remaining sectors, the index is based on returns from a sample of about 7,500 firms having about 5½ million employees. In all, the returns show the earnings of about 60 per cent of the total number of employees in the industries concerned.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index of average earnings of all employees (monthly enquiry) (1)

Great Britain

January 1966 = 100

TABLE 156 (*continued*)

	Manufacturing industries (*continued*)										
	Clothing and footwear	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Agriculture (3)	Mining and quarrying	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication (4)	Miscellaneous services (5)
1964	89·3	90·5	92·4	89·5	88·4	92·2	91·0	93·0	89·3	87·9	91·2
1965	95·6	96·6	98·4	95·9	95·1	99·7	97·5	100·2	95·3	96·6	95·9
1966	102·9	102·9	102·9	102·0	100·7	106·3	102·8	107·7	102·5	103·7	102·6
1967	105·7	106·8	108·7	104·7	104·1	110·2	106·9	111·5	104·7	107·4	107·9
1968	113·9	115·4	117·2	114·0	112·9	117·8	111·1	121·3	110·9	116·2	116·6
1967 January	103·3	103·4	102·8	101·9	100·1	102·7	105·3	106·5	103·5	104·1	105·9
February	103·8	104·2	104·4	102·1	101·3	102·1	105·4	108·0	103·2	104·2	105·2
March	103·4	102·1	101·3	102·4	100·4	103·0	107·3	102·1	102·7	104·3	106·3
April	104·8	106·6	107·3	103·4	102·9	108·7	106·4	111·4	103·2	106·5	108·1
May	104·1	107·1	107·6	103·8	102·8	109·9	105·2	110·9	104·0	106·9	107·1
June	106·5	109·4	111·3	106·1	103·9	110·6	106·7	115·7	105·3	109·4	107·4
July	106·5	107·4	112·9	104·5	107·6	115·4	107·2	116·5	105·1	109·1	107·9
August	103·9	105·2	109·2	102·8	102·7	114·8	105·2	111·1	106·2	107·8	104·6
September	105·6	108·8	114·1	106·2	105·8	118·1	106·1	115·9	105·7	108·3	110·8
October	107·9	109·1	113·4	106·8	107·2	117·1	106·7	115·9	104·5	108·0	111·1
November	109·0	110·0	115·2	107·8	107·7	112·8	109·3	116·3	107·1	111·7	110·4
December	109·9	108·2	105·1	108·1	106·6	107·1	111·9	108·2	105·5	109·0	110·4
1968 January	110·1	111·8	113·7	109·9	110·0	(6)	110·3	114·1	107·8	110·9	114·4
February	111·3	111·6	115·6	110·4	110·2	(6)	110·3	116·9	108·8	111·7	115·6
March	114·6	113·5	117·4	113·7	113·0	109·6	111·7	120·7	109·4	112·4	120·1
April	109·9	113·7	116·4	111·9	111·5	115·2	110·6	120·5	109·4	112·9	117·5
May	112·5	115·6	118·0	113·3	112·6	116·2	110·4	122·8	111·6	113·5	116·2
June	115·0	116·4	118·4	116·7	113·4	114·6	111·3	124·2	112·7	113·9	115·8
July	115·6	115·0	119·0	113·9	113·9	120·6	109·0	123·7	111·9	115·5	115·2
August	112·8	115·4	116·5	112·7	111·8	119·9	110·8	120·9	112·7	117·1	114·6
September	114·3	117·0	118·8	115·2	112·7	120·2	111·7	123·8	111·4	119·6	116·8
October	115·9	116·7	119·8	115·8	113·9	125·8	112·0	124·8	111·2	121·8	117·4
November	117·0	119·3	120·6	118·1	115·5	120·2	113·3	124·9	112·0	123·0	119·8
December	117·8	118·2	111·6	116·4	116·5	115·8	111·9	118·8	112·1	122·5	115·9
1969 January	117·5	122·0	119·3	118·5	115·9	115·9	116·3	123·1	113·0	122·6	121·3
February	117·0	119·0	117·1	118·6	116·7	115·0	113·3	120·9	116·2	121·7	121·6
March	120·1	122·3	120·5	124·0	118·8	117·8	117·3	128·9	115·9	122·9	126·4
April	119·4	122·6	122·8	121·7	120·6	119·2	117·4	129·6	120·1	124·5	125·7
May	118·1	121·1	118·1	120·5	121·4	128·7	116·9	126·0	118·7	125·2	121·8
June	121·6	124·4	124·7	125·2	120·9	123·5	117·8	134·1	120·7	127·7	126·5
July	119·9	123·8	127·1	123·5	120·5	134·3	114·7	132·1	121·8	127·0	126·6
August	119·3	122·1	123·6	123·5	120·3	129·9	114·9	128·3	119·1	126·1	123·7
September	119·3	124·1	126·3	126·2	123·2	132·1	118·7	132·3	120·2	128·3	127·6
October	121·4	126·5	125·8	126·8	125·6	137·4	118·6	133·0	119·6	131·6	129·3
November	122·0	127·3	127·0	129·7	127·7	135·1	119·5	130·6	120·8	134·3	130·6
December(7)	120·4	125·3	12·23	128·0	125·1	121·4	123·2	127·2	123·0	133·0	129·0
1970 January (7)	125·0	129·7	126·8	130·5	126·0	121·2	127·3	128·5	128·5	133·7	130·4
February											
March											

(3) England and Wales only. (4) Except sea transport and postal services. The indices from October 1966 include British Road Services. (5) Consisting of laundries and dry cleaning, motor repairers and garages and the repair of boots and shoes. (6) The epidemic of foot and mouth disease prevented visits by Ministry of Agriculture Wages Inspectors to farms in infected and adjacent areas. For this reason there is insufficient information to enable an accurate index for Agriculture to be calculated for this month but the best possible estimate has been used in the compilation of the index for all Industries and Services. (7) Provisional.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Note: There are fluctuations from month to month due to such factors as bonus payments, seasonal variations in hours worked, loss of overtime pay during holidays, etc. Seasonally adjusted figures for all industries covered are given in the second column of the table. Although the seasonally adjusted figures have been revised and are now based on six years data they cannot be regarded as precise. It is not yet possible to produce reliable seasonal adjustments for the individual industries.

Average weekly earnings in certain industries(1)

TABLE 157

	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	Metal manufacture	Engineering and electrical goods	Ship-building, marine engineering	Vehicles	Metal goods not elsewhere specified	Textiles
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Men aged 21 and over								
1961	289 10	313 1	329 1	321 11	304 4	353 10	313 1	279 5
1962 October	301 2	323 9	338 3	325 7	308 8	365 11	319 10	288 7
1963	318 2	348 2	358 7	337 9	323 6	396 8	338 5	307 2
1964	342 6	378 6	390 3	367 2	356 10	420 9	365 1	327 5
1965	373 7	407 7	423 3	395 11	395 10	448 6	395 9	357 2
1966 October	394 8	424 7	429 5	411 8	425 9	439 5	406 5	370 8
1967	416 10	444 10	447 8	427 8	437 8	488 5	421 5	391 2
1968 April	425 3	467 7	465 6	443 8	466 4	519 7	444 8	407 1
October	441 11	472 11	487 8	461 6	478 7	528 11	459 5	426 7
1969 April	462 5	498 7	511 6	482 5	507 0	566 0	478 4	437 9
October	482 9	512 10	531 3	501 5	522 7	573 4	496 5	457 0
Women aged 18 and over (full-time)								
1961	149 4	150 3	157 0	164 8	153 10	177 11	149 2	152 6
1962 October	155 9	156 5	160 7	170 7	156 8	188 9	155 2	157 1
1963	164 6	164 6	166 4	175 11	163 7	199 0	162 1	166 8
1964	173 11	173 7	180 4	186 8	172 7	210 4	172 4	176 8
1965	187 6	187 0	190 6	198 1	199 11	224 4	184 11	189 3
1966 October	196 2	196 4	198 2	208 8	204 4	224 8	192 8	198 9
1967	204 7	207 5	206 5	221 10	203 3	245 6	205 6	207 0
1968 April	208 9	213 6	215 4	231 2	210 3	259 10	214 0	213 5
October	219 1	220 1	223 6	236 10	215 1	266 8	218 9	223 5
1969 April	227 2	232 6	237 5	248 2	224 7	286 1	230 2	230 0
October	238 6	241 8	243 10	254 9	230 0	292 9	237 9	237 8

	Clothing and footwear	Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manu-facturing industries (Order XVI)	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communica-tion(2)(3)
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Men aged 21 and over								
1961	272 0	312 5	298 1	357 4	309 11	305 1	281 6	299 3
1962 October	281 10	323 8	311 2	373 2	325 4	321 11	300 5	305 0
1963	297 1	344 2	330 4	390 0	346 5	332 7	325 6	332 2
1964	315 10	372 1	353 9	423 10	372 1	363 11	353 2	353 3
1965	344 8	400 8	379 7	456 7	396 6	395 4	368 1	395 5
1966 October	355 9	417 2	390 0	477 0	406 7	411 2	382 4	417 8
1967	375 2	438 9	416 2	495 2	419 11	412 0	385 9	433 2
					437 0	433 8	397 9	
1968 April	386 0	450 11	429 3	522 1	457 0	446 4	403 6	458 6
October	405 5	467 8	443 1	539 0	471 9	457 5	413 11	483 11
1969 April	412 3	481 2	436 10	555 2	489 3	469 7	438 8	496 4
October	428 9	498 0	466 7	582 5	505 8	488 7	452 1	518 4
Women aged 18 and over (full-time)								
1961	148 4	145 5	166 2	162 5	147 8	142 4	150 6	218 4
1962 October	155 2	152 3	174 8	170 5	155 7	150 9	168 10	223 1
1963	161 6	160 2	184 6	176 4	164 2	156 4	174 8	231 5
1964	173 9	170 10	195 2	187 5	173 7	161 2	193 4	248 7
1965	187 3	184 11	207 3	203 0	185 7	168 5	217 0	266 11
1966 October	197 7	194 9	212 11	214 8	194 0	178 11	224 1	280 1
1967	203 2	205 5	230 3	218 11	204 3	197 5	230 11	290 10
1968 April	211 8	212 11	241 4	230 10	211 11	204 4	230 9	290 7
October	219 6	216 11	244 1	233 10	217 6	201 1	237 7	311 10
1969 April	224 8	227 3	248 2	241 9	227 10	210 10	244 11	317 3
October	230 2	238 0	257 3	251 4	235 4	227 9	248 5	337 4

(1) Industries are grouped according to the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1958*. See also footnote (1) to Table 154.

(2) Excluding railways, London Transport and before October 1966 British Road Services.

(3) See footnote (2) to Table 154.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index numbers of basic wage rates and of normal weekly hours(1)

All industries and services

TABLE 158

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	Basic weekly wage rates				Basic hourly wage rates				Normal weekly hours	
	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men
1964 Monthly averages	140·6	139·8	142·6	147·6	148·6	147·8	150·4	156·1	94·6	94·6
1965 Monthly averages	146·7	145·7	149·4	155·1	157·9	156·9	160·5	167·5	92·9	92·8
1966 Monthly averages	153·5	152·2	157·4	164·1	168·5	167·0	172·6	180·1	91·1	91·1
1967 Monthly averages	159·3	157·9	163·5	170·3	175·3	173·8	179·7	187·4	90·9	90·9
1968 Monthly averages	169·9	168·6	173·1	181·5	187·3	185·9	190·8	200·1	90·7	90·7
1969 Monthly averages	178·8	177·5	180·9	193·1	197·4	195·9	199·9	213·2	90·6	90·6
1969 January	176·0	174·7	178·6	189·3	194·2	192·8	197·0	208·9	90·7	90·6
February	176·5	175·3	179·0	190·3	194·7	193·3	197·4	210·0	90·7	90·6
March	176·8	175·6	179·2	190·6	195·1	193·7	197·7	210·3	90·7	90·6
April	176·9	175·7	179·3	190·7	195·2	193·8	197·7	210·4	90·7	90·6
May	177·1	175·9	179·3	191·0	195·5	194·1	198·0	210·8	90·6	90·6
June	177·6	176·4	179·8	191·6	196·1	194·7	198·6	211·5	90·6	90·6
July	178·3	176·9	181·3	192·2	197·0	195·3	200·5	212·3	90·5	90·6
August	178·8	177·5	181·4	192·5	197·5	195·9	200·7	212·5	90·5	90·6
September	180·0	178·7	182·3	193·4	198·8	197·3	201·7	213·6	90·5	90·6
October	180·2	178·9	182·6	193·6	199·0	197·5	202·0	213·8	90·5	90·6
November	181·7	180·5	183·4	195·4	200·7	199·3	202·9	215·8	90·5	90·6
December	185·4	184·3	184·4	207·1	204·9	203·5	204·0	228·9	90·5	90·5
1970 January	186·5	185·4	185·3	208·0	206·1	204·8	205·0	229·9	90·5	90·5
February	188·7	187·9	185·6	211·1	208·8	207·9	205·6	233·6	90·4	90·4
March										

Manufacturing industries(3)

31 January 1956 = 100

	Basic weekly wage rates				Basic hourly wage rates				Normal weekly hours	
	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men	Women	Juveniles(2)	All workers	Men
1964 Monthly averages	138·0	137·0	141·0	144·7	145·6	144·4	149·1	152·9	94·8	94·9
1965 Monthly averages	143·3	141·9	147·5	152·4	154·5	153·0	159·1	164·4	92·7	92·7
1966 Monthly averages	150·1	148·1	156·1	161·5	164·4	162·2	171·2	177·1	91·3	91·4
1967 Monthly averages	156·0	154·0	162·1	167·6	171·6	169·2	178·8	184·6	90·9	91·0
1968 Monthly averages	167·7	165·8	173·3	179·0	185·0	182·7	191·9	197·7	90·6	90·8
1969 Monthly averages	176·8	175·2	180·3	191·5	195·4	193·3	200·1	211·8	90·5	90·7
1969 January	174·7	173·1	178·3	187·8	192·8	190·8	197·6	207·6	90·6	90·7
February	174·7	173·2	178·4	187·9	192·9	190·9	197·7	207·7	90·6	90·7
March	175·0	173·4	178·8	188·2	193·2	191·1	198·1	208·0	90·6	90·7
April	175·2	173·6	178·9	188·4	193·4	191·4	198·2	208·2	90·6	90·7
May	175·4	173·9	178·9	188·7	193·9	191·8	198·6	208·8	90·5	90·6
June	175·9	174·5	179·0	189·1	194·4	192·5	198·8	209·2	90·5	90·6
July	176·7	175·0	181·1	190·0	195·4	193·1	201·1	210·3	90·4	90·6
August	177·0	175·4	181·3	190·4	195·7	193·5	201·3	210·7	90·4	90·6
September	177·2	175·5	181·6	190·7	196·0	193·7	201·7	211·0	90·4	90·6
October	177·5	175·8	181·9	191·0	196·3	194·0	202·0	211·3	90·4	90·6
November	177·8	176·1	182·1	191·1	196·6	194·3	202·2	211·5	90·4	90·6
December	185·1	183·5	183·9	215·0	204·6	202·5	204·3	237·9	90·4	90·6
1970 January	186·0	184·4	185·2	216·1	205·7	203·5	205·7	239·1	90·4	90·6
February	186·0	184·4	185·2	216·1	205·7	203·5	205·7	239·1	90·4	90·6
March										

(1) The figures are based upon changes in basic rates of wages or minimum entitlements and reductions in normal weekly hours, which are normally determined by national collective agreements or statutory wages regulation orders. The information relates to the end of the month and, where necessary, the figures may be revised to take account of any changes having retrospective effect or reported belatedly. A brief note on the method of compilation of the figures is given in the current issue of the *Employment and Productivity Gazette*.

(2) In general, males under 21 and females under 18 years of age.

(3) The term 'Manufacturing industries' covers all industries included in Orders III–XIX of the *Standard Industrial Classification, 1968*.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index numbers of basic weekly wage rates: All workers

Analysis by industrial group[1]

TABLE 159 — 31 January 1956 = 100

	Total all industries	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing industries: Total manufacturing industries	Food, drink and tobacco	Chemicals and allied industries	All metals combined[2]	Textiles	Leather, leather goods and fur	Clothing and footwear
1964	141	143	139	138	144	139	136	133	135	144
1965	147	152	145	143	150	144	140	139	142	151
1966	154	158	152	150	156	149	147	145	148	157
1967	159	163	156	156	161	152	155	148	150	161
1968	170	173	163	168	169	158	170	152	157	167
1969	179	185	172	177	177	166	181	156	164	171
1969 January ...	176	174	169	175	173	164	179	155	164	170
February ...	177	185	169	175	173	164	179	155	164	170
March ...	177	185	169	175	173	166	179	155	164	171
April ...	177	185	170	175	174	166	179	155	164	171
May ...	177	187	170	175	174	166	180	155	164	171
June ...	178	187	170	176	174	166	181	155	164	171
July	178	187	170	177	178	166	181	157	164	171
August ...	179	187	170	177	180	166	181	157	164	171
September ...	180	187	170	177	180	166	181	157	164	172
October ...	180	187	170	178	181	166	181	157	164	172
November ...	182	187	184	178	183	167	181	157	164	172
December ...	185	187	184	185	185	167	193	158	168	172
1970 January ...	186	187	184	186	186	167	193	160	170	172
February ...	189	198	184	186	186	167	193	160	170	172
March ...										

	Manufacturing industries (*continued*): Bricks, pottery, glass, cement, etc.	Timber, furniture, etc.	Paper, printing and publishing	Other manufacturing industries	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication	Distributive trades	Professional and scientific services[3]	Miscellaneous services
1964	146	143	143	142	144	141	144	143	148	143
1965	155	149	152	146	148	156	153	150	156	147
1966	161	156	160	151	154	164	159	158	162	159
1967	165	160	162	155	161	169	164	164	170	161
1968	172	171	170	177	172	175	177	171	179	172
1969	181	178	177	183	176	188	188	179	190	177
1969 January ...	178	177	174	183	176	178	185	177	185	175
February ...	178	177	174	183	176	179	185	177	185	175
March ...	178	177	174	183	176	186	185	177	185	175
April ...	178	178	175	183	176	186	185	177	185	175
May ...	178	178	175	183	176	186	185	177	185	175
June... ...	178	178	175	183	176	186	186	179	185	175
July	183	178	175	183	176	186	187	179	187	176
August ...	183	178	175	183	176	186	190	179	187	176
September ...	183	178	176	183	177	195	193	180	198	180
October ...	183	178	179	183	177	195	193	180	198	181
November ...	184	179	179	183	177	195	193	181	202	181
December ...	189	179	186	184	177	198	193	181	202	181
1970 January ...	190	190	186	184	177	207	197	181	202	181
February ...	190	190	186	184	195	207	197	181	202	181
March ...										

(1) The industry groups are analysed according to the *Standard Industrial Classification* 1968.
(2) Metal manufacture; mechanical, instrument and electrical engineering; shipbuilding and marine engineering; vehicles and metal goods not elsewhere specified.
(3) Including public administration and defence.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Changes in basic weekly rates of wages(1)

TABLE 160 — Annual and monthly totals(2) — £ thousand

	Number of workpeople reported as affected by		Estimated amount of change in basic weekly rates of wages(3)			Estimated net amount of increase in basic weekly rates of wages(3)						
	Increases	Decreases	Increase	Decrease	Net increase	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	Mining and quarrying	Manufacturing industries	Construction	Gas, electricity and water	Transport and communication	Other services
	Thousands											
1964	9,250	—	5,018	—	5,018	70	147	1,736	505	274	900	1,386
1965	10,837	—	6,057	—	6,057	261	180	2,509	656	218	810	1,423
1966	8,595	—	4,535	—	4,535	210	160	2,475	415	100	335	840
1967	11,490	—	9,005	—	9,005	140	225	3,425	1,940	145	800	2,330
1968	11,110	—	9,582	—	9,582	265	190	5,732	905	205	955	1,330
1969	8,530	—	7,520	—	7,520	293	428	3,703	151	296	686	1,963
1967 October	345	30	207	4	203	—	148	46	8	—	—	1
November	1,990	—	1,230	—	1,230	—	—	147	730	1	263	89
December	980	—	820	—	820	—	37	274	—	—	73	436
1968 January	1,540	—	2,140	—	2,140	—	—	2,037	48	13	37	5
February	845	—	435	—	435	255	—	42	44	1	—	93
March	1,885	—	410	—	410	5	—	85	225	46	37	12
April	385	—	185	—	185	—	7	107	—	—	—	71
May	490	—	160	—	160	—	4	134	2	—	5	15
June	560	—	200	—	200	—	—	52	—	—	32	116
July	750	—	370	—	370	—	—	140	5	—	152	73
August	540	—	480	—	480	—	—	73	—	—	401	6
September	1,060	—	550	—	550	—	—	254	60	—	170	66
October	1,240	—	622	—	622	—	5	189	7	15	27	379
November	2,560	—	1,385	—	1,385	—	170	185	680	—	—	350
December	3,325	1,190	2,840	195	2,645	2	—	2,438	−165	130	95	145
1969 January	880	—	425	—	425	—	—	247	—	—	58	120
February	730	—	375	—	375	235	—	42	46	16	15	21
March	456	—	148	—	148	12	—	88	—	45	—	3
April	355	—	130	—	130	10	5	105	—	—	—	10
May	135	—	65	—	65	30	2	28	—	—	5	—
June	575	—	315	—	315	—	—	61	—	—	44	210
July	1,305	—	970	—	970	—	1	334	20	—	299	316
August	395	—	345	—	345	10	5	130	—	—	186	14
September	1,375	—	1,295	—	1,295	—	—	83	28	238	78	868
October	415	1	360	—	360	—	1	310	23	—	6	20
November	780	—	850	—	850	—	15	196	230	—	22	387
December	3,260	—	2,880	—	2,880	—	414	2,352	—	70	9	35
1970 January	960	—	870	—	870	—	—	323	49	135	247	116
February	1,635	—	2,060	—	2,060	250	—	42	1,768	—	—	—
March												

(1) The figures relate to changes in basic full-time weekly rates of wages or minimum entitlements and do not reflect reductions in normal weekly hours without loss of pay or variations in actual earnings arising from such factors as overtime or lost time. The changes included are those determined by national collective agreements or by statutory wages councils or boards.

(2) The monthly totals in the columns headed 'Increase' and 'Decrease' relate to the number of workpeople affected by changes and the corresponding gross amounts. Workpeople affected by two or more changes are counted only once in the annual totals which relate to the number having increases only or for whom increases exceeded decreases, the number having decreases only or for whom decreases exceeded increases, and the corresponding net amounts; the column headed 'Net increase,' is therefore the overall net increase for the year.

(3) The annual totals of net increases in basic weekly rates of wages mean that the total wage bill of the country, in the industries and for the workpeople covered by the statistics, for a full ordinary week's work at basic rates of wages at the end of any one year exceeds that for the corresponding week of the preceding year by the amount stated. The average weekly wages paid during any one year will not, however, exceed those paid during the preceding year by this sum, as the actual changes will have taken place at various dates during the year.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

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TABLE 161

	All items	Food	Alcoholic drink	Tobacco	Housing	Fuel and light	Durable household goods	Clothing and footwear	Transport and vehicles	Miscellaneous goods	Services	Meals bought and consumed outside the home (1)
	17 January 1956 = 100											
Weights	*1,000*	*350*	*71*	*80*	*87*	*55*	*66*	*106*	*68*	*59*	*58*	
1962 January 16 ...	117·5	110·7	108·2	123·6	140·6	130·6	102·1	106·6	126·7	128·2	130·1	
	16 January 1962 = 100											
Weights *1966* ...	*1,000*	*298*	*67*	*77*	*113*	*64*	*57*	*91*	*116*	*61*	*56*	
1967 ...	*1,000*	*293*	*67*	*72*	*118*	*62*	*59*	*92*	*118*	*61*	*58*	
1968(2) ...	*1,000*	*289*	*65*	*68*	*123*	*64*	*60*	*91*	*122*	*61*	*57*	
1968 ...	*1,000*	*263*	*63*	*66*	*121*	*62*	*59*	*89*	*120*	*60*	*56*	*41*
1969 ...	*1.000*	*254*	*64*	*68*	*118*	*61*	*60*	*86*	*124*	*66*	*57*	*42*
1970 ...	*1,000*	*255*	*66*	*64*	*119*	*61*	*60*	*86*	*126*	*65*	*55*	*43*
1964 ...	107·0	107·8	107·9	105·8	114·0	109·3	102·3	104·9	102·1	105·0	106·9	
1965 ...	112·1	111·6	117·1	118·0	120·5	114·5	104·8	107·0	106·7	109·0	112·7	
1966 ...	116·5	115·6	121·7	120·8	128·5	120·9	107·2	109·9	109·9	112·5	120·5	
Monthly												
1967 averages ...	119·4	118·5	125·3	120·8	134·5	124·3	109·0	111·7	112·2	113·7	126·4	
1968 ...	125·0	123·2	127·1	125·5	141·3	133·8	113·2	113·4	119·1	124·5	132·4	126·9
1969 ...	131·8	131·0	136·2	135·5	147·0	137·8	118·3	117·7	123·9	132·3	142·5	135·0
1968 April 23 ...	124·8	123·5	127·0	125·4	140·6	133·3	113·0	113·0	119·4	124·2	130·4	126·3
May 21 ...	124·9	123·6	127·1	125·4	140·9	130·8	113·3	113·2	120·1	124·8	131·1	126·8
June 18 ...	125·4	124·1	127·1	125·4	141·3	131·9	113·6	113·4	120·4	126·7	131·3	127·5
July 16 ...	125·5	123·8	127·1	125·4	141·6	132·0	113·9	113·4	120·3	127·1	131·8	127·9
August 20 ...	125·7	123·2	127·2	127·8	142·0	132·6	114·0	113·7	120·6	127·2	132·3	128·6
September 17	125·8	122·6	127·2	127·8	142·2	133·2	114·1	114·1	121·0	127·3	133·7	129·4
October 15 ...	126·4	123·4	127·3	125·7	142·9	137·6	114·9	114·4	121·0	127·6	136·8	129·7
November 12	126·7	123·9	127·2	125·9	143·3	138·0	114·9	114·6	121·1	127·6	137·3	130·1
December 10	128·4	125·4	132·7	134·8	143·6	138·2	115·4	114·7	122·5	128·0	137·7	130·3
1969 January 14 ...	129·1	126·1	134·7	135·1	143·7	138·4	116·1	115·1	122·2	130·2	140·2	130·5
February 18 ...	129·8	128·2	134·8	135·2	143·9	138·5	116·3	115·9	122·6	130·4	140·4	131·0
March 18 ...	130·3	129·4	134·8	135·2	144·0	138·5	116·4	116·4	122·8	130·3	140·7	131·4
April 22 ...	131·7	132·1	135·1	135·3	146·4	138·6	117·4	116·7	124·1	131·3	140·9	133·2
May 20 ...	131·5	131·6	135·5	135·3	146·6	134·8	117·5	117·1	124·7	131·7	141·3	133·6
June 17 ...	132·1	133·3	135·6	135·4	146·8	134·8	117·9	117·5	124·6	132·0	141·7	134·5
July 22 ...	132·1	132·0	136·2	135·5	147·1	134·9	118·5	117·6	124·3	132·5	142·4	136·0
August 19 ...	131·8	130·5	136·2	135·7	147·5	135·3	118·6	118·2	123·8	132·8	142·9	137·1
September 16	132·2	131·3	136·2	135·8	147·6	135·4	119·0	118·8	124·3	133·1	143·3	137·2
October 21 ...	133·2	131·8	136·5	135·8	149·5	141·3	120·6	119·2	124·1	133·9	144·8	138·1
November 18	133·5	132·0	136·4	135·8	150·0	141·6	120·7	119·7	124.5	134·3	145·5	138·5
December 16	134·4	133·4	142·7	135·8	150·4	141·7	120·8	120·0	124·9	135·1	145·7	138·9
1970 January 20 ...	135·5	134·7	143·0	135·8	150·6	145·3	122·2	120·5	125·4	136·4	147·6	139·4
February 17 ...	136·2	136·3	143·0	135·8	151·4	145·5	122·4	120·9	126·4	137·4	147·9	139·7
March 17 ...												

(1) The Cost of Living Advisory Committee recommended in 1962 that until a satisfactory index series based on actual prices became available half the expenditure on meals out should continue to be allocated to the food group and the other half spread proportionately over all groups, including the food group. The index for meals out for 16 January 1968 implicit in this recommendation was 121·4. Since January 1968 an index series based on actual prices has been available and indices in this series have been linked with the implicit index for meals out for 16 January 1968, to obtain indices for meals out with 16 January 1962 taken as 100.

(2) These are the weights which would have been used in 1968 if expenditure on meals out had been treated as in previous years (see footnote(1)). The weights actually used are given in the following line.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

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TABLE 162

Indices for sub-groups
16 January 1962 = 100

	Group and sub-group weights in 1970	1969						1970	
		22 July	19 Aug.	16 Sept.	21 Oct.	18 Nov.	16 Dec.	20 Jan.	17 Feb.
All items	1,000	132·1	131·8	132·2	133·2	133·5	134·4	135·5	136·2
I. Food									
Total	255	132·0	130·5	131·3	131·8	132·0	133·4	134·7	136·3
Bread, flour, cereals, biscuits and cakes	37	136	136	136	136	137	137	140	141
Meat and bacon	65	141	141	141	142	142	143	143	143
Fish	9	130	131	132	135	138	139	142	145
Butter, margarine, lard and cooking fat	11	109	109	110	111	112	111	113	114
Milk, cheese and eggs	38	121	119	126	127	127	131	129	129
Tea, coffee, cocoa, soft drinks, etc.	15	109	110	109	111	111	111	112	112
Sugar, preserves and confectionery	24	142	142	143	143	144	144	147	149
Vegetables, fresh, dried and canned	27	148	138	135	138	136	142	149	158
Fruit, fresh, dried and canned	13	125	120	114	110	109	108	109	112
Other food	16	126	127	128	128	129	128	129	129
II. Alcoholic drink	66	136·2	136·2	136·2	136·5	136·4	142·7	143·0	143·0
III. Tobacco	64	135·5	135·7	135·8	135·8	135·8	135·8	135·8	135·8
IV. Housing									
Total	119	147·1	147·5	147·6	149·5	150·0	150·4	150·6	151·4
Rent	71	152	152	153	155	156	156	157	157
Rates and water charges	30	153	153	153	154	154	154	154	154
Charges for repairs and maintenance, and materials for home repairs and decorations	18	122	122	122	124	125	125	125	127
V. Fuel and light									
Total (including oil)	61	134·9	135·3	135·4	141·3	141·6	141·7	145·3	145·5
Coal and coke	23	132	133	133	150	151	151	162	162
Gas	13	127	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
Electricity	23	145	145	145	145	145	145	145	145
VI. Durable household goods									
Total	60	118·5	118·6	119·0	120·6	120·7	120·8	122·2	122·4
Furniture, floor coverings and soft furnishings	29	128	128	129	131	131	132	134	134
Radio, television and other household appliances	22	107	107	108	108	108	108	109	109
Pottery, glassware and hardware	9	121	121	121	122	123	123	124	125
VII. Clothing and footwear									
Total	86	117·6	118·2	118·8	119·2	119·7	120·0	120·5	120·9
Men's outer clothing	14	123	123	124	124	125	125	126	126
Men's underclothing	5	122	123	124	124	124	125	125	126
Women's outer clothing	20	114	115	115	116	117	117	117	118
Women's underclothing	5	118	118	118	118	119	119	118	118
Children's clothing	11	117	118	118	119	119	120	120	120
Other clothing, including hose, haberdashery, hats and materials	14	114	114	114	114	115	115	115	116
Footwear	17	120	121	122	122	123	123	124	125
VIII. Transport and vehicles									
Total	126	124·3	123·8	124·3	124·1	124·5	124·9	125·4	126·4
Motoring and cycling	101	116	115	115	115	116	116	116	117
Fares	25	141	141	144	144	144	147	147	147
IX. Miscellaneous goods									
Total	65	132·5	132·8	133·1	133·9	134·3	135·1	136·4	137·4
Books, newspapers and periodicals	17	162	162	163	166	167	171	174	175
Medicines, surgical, etc. goods and toilet requisites	14	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	124
Soaps and detergents, soda, polishes and other household goods	11	117	118	118	118	118	118	119	119
Stationery, travel and sports goods, toys, photographic and optical goods, etc.	23	130	130	130	131	131	131	132	132
X. Services									
Total	55	142·4	142·9	143·3	144·8	145·5	145·7	147·6	147·9
Postage and telephone	8	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	137
Entertainment	22	138	138	139	141	142	143	146	146
Other services, including domestic help, hairdressing, boot and shoe repairing, laundering and dry cleaning	25	148	148	149	150	150	151	151	152
XI. Meals bought and consumed outside the home(2)	43	136·0	137·1	137·2	138·1	138·5	138·9	139·4	139·7

(1) The divisions I-X refer to the main groups of items as shown in Studies in Official Statistics, No. 6, *Method of construction and calculation of the Index of Retail Prices.*
(2) See footnote (1) on Table 161.

Source: Department of Employment and Productivity

Index numbers of wholesale prices

1963 = 100

TABLE 164 — Monthly averages

	Price indices of materials used in broad sectors of industry													
	Basic materials and fuels used in		Materials and fuel used in the											
	Manufacturing industry	Manufacturing other than food, drink and tobacco	Food manufacturing industries	Chemicals and allied industries	Steel industries	Mechanical engineering industries	Electrical engineering industries	Electrical machinery industry	Textile industries	Clothing and footwear industries	Timber industries	Paper industries	Construction materials	House building materials
1964	104·1	103·9	104·3	103·8	102·0	103·1	106·2	103·5	102·0	102·4	104·6	103·2	102·9	103·3
1965	105·4	106·8	103·0	107·6	105·9	106·8	113·4	108·5	97·8	104·0	108·9	108·8	106·1	107·2
1966	108·0	110·2	104·2	108·7	108·4	112·3	124·2	118·0	99·8	106·6	110·9	108·0	108·6	109·7
1967	107·5	108·4	106·0	108·4	110·0	112·0	119·2	115·8	95·9	104·4	111·3	107·3	109·1	110·1
1968	117·3	120·5	110·6	115·1	114·4	117·1	131·6	124·9	102·6	110·4	120·3	115·1	114·8	116·8
1969	121·4[3]	125·0	114·2	116·7	116·7	125·0	145·7	134·9	103·6	115·8	126·9	120·7	119·1	121·5
1967 July	105·1	105·4	104·7	108·0	110·3	111·0	115·4	113·3	94·9	103·9	110·7	106·6	108·3	109·3
Aug.	106·3	108·0	103·4	109·0	110·1	111·3	116·2	114·0	93·7	103·6	110·8	106·4	108·8	109·8
Sept.	106·5	107·9	104·3	109·1	110·1	111·3	116·7	114·3	93·6	103·6	110·9	106·5	109·3	110·2
Oct.	108·3	109·6	105·9	109·6	111·0	112·2	118·8	115·8	93·2	103·6	111·2	107·0	109·5	110·4
Nov.	112·1	114·1	108·3	110·8	111·7	114·3	126·1	120·1	94·6	104·3	111·6	108·1	110·0	111·0
Dec.	116·8	119·7	111·0	113·1	113·1	115·9	131·5	123·7	99·8	106·8	115·6	112·7	112·0	113·4
1968 Jan.	117·5	120·7	110·8	115·1	113·3	116·6	132·8	124·8	100·6	108·0	117·4	113·1	113·1	114·7
Feb.	118·6	123·5	108·6	115·4	115·5	118·3	139·5	129·2	101·4	108·4	118·2	113·3	114·0	115·7
Mar.	119·4	124·5	109·1	115·9	115·6	119·3	143·2	131·9	102·0	109·0	119·2	113·4	114·9	116·8
April	116·4	120·3	108·8	115·6	115·2	117·2	132·6	126·7	102·2	109·5	119·4	115·3	114·8	116·8
May	115·9	118·4	110·6	115·6	113·8	116·0	127·2	122·7	101·9	109·7	119·8	115·4	114·5	116·5
June	117·0	119·9	110·8	115·6	114·0	116·6	129·1	123·6	102·6	110·1	120·2	115·4	114·8	116·8
July	116·1	119·2	109·8	114·7	114·1	116·3	128·1	123·0	102·4	110·5	120·3	115·7	115·0	117·0
Aug.	115·9	119·1	109·2	114·8	114·2	116·2	127·3	122·4	102·1	110·7	120·5	115·7	114·7	116·8
Sept.	116·3	119·7	109·3	114·7	114·2	116·6	129·0	123·2	103·2	111·3	121·2	115·9	115·0	117·2
Oct.	117·4	119·9	111·8	114·6	114·1	116·7	128·7	123·2	104·5	111·8	121·6	115·9	115·3	117·5
Nov.	118·5	120·4	113·9	114·5	114·5	117·0	129·0	123·5	104·9	112·4	122·2	116·1	115·6	117·8
Dec.	119·0	120·9	114·4	114·7	115·0	118·0	132·2	125·2	103·5	113·0	123·1	116·2	115·9	118·1
1969 Jan.	119·7	122·0	114·5	114·8	115·3	118·8	135·1	127·0	104·0	113·7	123·6	117·6	116·0	118·3
Feb.	119·5	122·3	113·6	115·3	115·3	120·2	137·4	128·5	103·6	114·2	124·5	118·1	116·7	119·0
Mar.	119·5	122·7	112·9	115·5	115·4	120·9	137·7	129·0	103·5	114·8	125·2	118·4	117·1	119·5
April	120·0	123·7	112·4	115·9	115·5	121·9	141·3	131·0	104·3	115·8	125·5	119·0	117·5	120·0
May	120·2	123·9	112·7	116·2	115·5	122·2	142·6	132·0	104·7	116·1	126·0	119·5	118·0	120·5
June	120·8	124·9	112·4	116·4	116·1	123·7	145·9	134·3	104·2	116·1	126·6	119·6	118·7	121·2
July	120·5	124·8	111·8	116·1	116·9	125·7	146·5	135·4	103·6	116·1	127·4	121·0	119·6	122·0
Aug.	121·7	127·0	111·6	117·1	116·7	127·1	150·9	138·0	103·5	116·4	127·7	122·0	119·8	122·2
Sept.	122·0	126·4	113·7	117·1	117·0	127·5	151·1	139·0	103·0	116·6	128·1	122·3	120·2	122·6
Oct.	122·8	125·9	116·8	117·5	117·8	129·0	149·6	139·2	102·8	116·7	128·8	122·7	120·7	122·9
Nov.	124·4	127·5	118·3	118·9	118·7	130·5	153·4	141·7	102·7	116·7	129·3	123·8	121·9	124·2
Dec.	125·2	128·4	119·0	119·6	120·0	132·3	156·9	143·8	102·9	117·0	129·8	124·3	123·0	125·2
1970 Jan.[3]	125·5	128·8	119·3	119·4	121·4	133·1	155·5	144·3	103·5	117·1	130·4	128·0	123·5	125·9
Feb.[3]	125·6	129·8	118·3	120·0	122·8	136·0	157·1	146·5	103·6	117·2	131·4	128·2	124·6	126·7
Mar.														

Source: Board of Trade

Index numbers of wholesale prices

1963 = 100

TABLE 163 (*continued*)

Monthly averages

	Price indices of the output of broad sectors of industry														Index numbers of the average value of new dwellings mortgaged by private owners (2)
	All manufactured products	Products of manufacturing industries other than food, drink and tobacco	Food manufacturing industries	Chemicals and allied industries	Steel industries	Engineering and allied industries	Mechanical engineering	Electrical engineering	Textile industries other than clothing	Clothing and footwear	Timber industries	Paper industries	New construction(1)	
	Total sales	Home market sales												1963 = 100
1964	102·7	102·9	101·9	103·9	100·1	100·5	101·9	102·5	101·7	102·5	101·3	103·6	102·0	102	107
1965	106·1	106·8	104·6	106·2	101·0	101·9	104·7	106·1	104·4	103·7	103·4	108·7	105·6	106	118
1966	109·5	109·6	107·3	107·9	101·7	104·9	108·1	110·4	107·6	105·2	106·4	111·7	107·4	111	126
1967	111·1	110·9	108·2	109·9	102·1	106·1	109·0	111·5	107·5	104·1	107·2	112·3	107·6	113	134
1968	116·7	115·3	112·4	114·5	105·4	107·1	113·1	115·1	112·4	107·8	108·9	118·7	113·1	118	141
1969	120·9	119·8	115·9	118·6	106·4	112·3	117·4	119·9	116·3	111·5	111·5	122·7	118·2	123	151
1967 July	111·1	110·9	108·2	110·0	101·7	106·0	108·9	111·4	106·9	103·8	107·3	112·0	107·6		
August	111·3	111·0	108·4	110·0	102·3	106·1	109·2	111·7	107·4	103·6	107·3	112·5	107·6	114	134
September	111·5	111·1	108·6	110·0	102·5	106·1	109·3	111·8	107·5	103·4	107·3	112·5	107·6		
October	111·7	111·3	108·8	110·1	102·6	106·1	109·5	112·0	107·6	103·5	107·4	112·5	107·5		
November	112·0	111·5	109·1	110·1	102·8	106·3	109·9	112·3	108·4	103·8	107·4	112·6	107·6	114	136
December	113·0	112·0	109·6	110·8	103·0	106·4	110·5	112·9	109·5	105·4	107·4	113·5	107·7		
1968 January	114·0	112·8	110·6	111·8	104·3	106·5	111·3	113·6	110·4	106·2	107·8	115·8	111·1		
February	114·7	113·6	111·4	113·3	104·8	106·8	112·0	114·2	111·9	106·5	108·0	117·0	112·5	116	138
March	115·5	114·5	112·2	113·8	105·5	107·1	112·7	114·7	113·2	106·8	108·3	118·2	113·1		
April	116·0	115·1	112·5	113·9	105·7	107·2	113·1	114·9	113·7	107·0	108·4	118·6	113·4		
May	116·7	115·1	112·4	114·4	105·8	107·2	113·0	115·2	112·4	107·2	108·6	118·9	113·4	118	141
June	116·9	115·4	112·7	114·8	105·6	107·2	113·3	115·3	112·5	107·5	108·9	119·1	113·4		
July	117·1	115·6	112·7	115·1	105·7	107·2	113·3	115·4	112·3	107·8	109·0	119·1	113·5		
August	117·2	115·7	112·7	115·1	105·7	107·2	113·3	115·4	112·2	107·9	109·1	119·4	113·4	120	141
September	117·3	115·8	112·8	115·0	105·8	107·1	113·4	115·4	112·2	108·3	109·2	119·5	113·4		
October	117·5	116·0	113·0	115·4	105·6	107·1	113·7	115·6	112·7	108·8	109·6	119·5	113·5		
November	118·0	116·4	113·1	115·6	105·4	107·2	113·8	115·7	112·8	109·2	109·7	119·8	113·2	120	144
December	119·0	117·5	113·3	116·1	105·4	107·2	114·0	116·0	112·8	109·8	109·8	119·9	113·4		
1969 January	119·3	117·9	113·7	116·7	105·5	107·4	114·4	116·6	113·1	110·2	110·4	120·7	115·1		
February	119·6	118·3	114·1	117·1	105·6	107·6	115·0	117·3	113·8	110·4	110·6	121·4	116·3	122	146
March	119·7	118·5	114·4	117·3	105·8	107·8	115·4	117·8	114·3	110·7	110·7	121·8	116·8		
April	120·0	118·9	114·8	117·6	106 2	107·8	115·8	118·3	114·6	111·1	111·0	122·1	116·9		
May	120·3	119·2	115·1	117·9	105·7	107·9	116·2	118·6	115·1	111·4	111·5	122·3	117·1	123	150
June	120·6	119·5	115·4	118·4	106·1	110·5	116·6	119·2	115·4	111·5	111·6	122·3	117·5		
July	121·0	120·0	116·0	118·8	106·4	114·0	117·5	120·2	116·3	111·5	111·7	122·7	118·0		
August	121·1	120·1	116·4	118·2	106·7	114·3	118·4	121·0	117·1	111·8	111·8	123·3	118·2	124	152
September	121·7	120·8	117·0	119·3	107·0	114·7	119·1	121·6	118·4	112·0	112·0	123·5	119·8		
October	122·2	121·1	117·5	119·9	107·2	117·3	119·6	122·1	118·9	112·2	112·2	124·0	120·4		
November	122·6	121·6	117·9	120·5	107·4	118·3	120·1	122·7	119·3	112·4	112·3	124·2	120·8	125	155
December	123·2	122·4	118·6	121·5	107·7	120·4	121·0	123·6	119·7	112·5	112·4	124·3	121·3		
1970 January(3)	123·9	123·2	119·3	123·6	108·1	121·8	121·5	123·9	120·6	112·8	112·8	125·7	123·3		
February(3)	124·1	123·6	119·7	123·9	108·2	128·4	121·8	124·2	120·7	112·9	112·9	126·3	124·4		
March															

(1) Index of building costs: figures relate to average for the quarter.
(2) The index covers only dwellings on which building societies have advanced mortgages during the period. The cost of land is included. (3) Provisional.

Sources: Board of Trade
Ministry of Public Building and Works
Ministry of Housing and Local Government

Index numbers of agricultural prices

TABLE 164

Average of 1964/65–1966/67 (July–June years) = 100

	Products											Materials[1]	
	At market prices[2]					At gross prices[3]							
	Wheat	Barley	Cattle (clean)	Pigs (clean)		Wheat [4]	Potatoes [5]	Cattle (clean)	Pigs (clean)		Milk	Eggs [6]	Fertilizers [7]	Compound feeding-stuffs
				Bacon-factory	Other				Bacon-factory	Other				
1965 } Harvest	97·7	97·9	101·9	90·2	92·2	101·6	88·5	98·8	97·7	97·6	98·6	96·4	96·0	98·3
1966 } years	97·2	102·9	105·2	96·2	94·6	97·6	89·8	100·7	98·3	97·6	99·4	108·6	99·8	100·9
1967 } ended	105·1	99·2	92·9	113·6	113·2	100·8	121·7	100·5	104·0	104·8	102·0	95·0	104·2	100·8
1968 } June	99·5	98·5	98·9	108·8	109·4	101·2	92·1	106·5	105·1	106·4	102·3	93·3	116·0	103·4
1969 }	105·9	103·0	112·3	112·4	108·2	108·0	98·0	115·2	106·6	105·2	103·0	101·0	118·5	105·6
1967 July ...	109·5	100·8	82·5	108·4	103·1	103·8	—	104·2	106·7	103·7	90·0	75·1	109·1	102·1
August...	95·9	99·3	75·9	105·1	102·0	92·3	106·7	97·7	106·7	105·2	101·5	81·9	110·7	102·1
September	95·7	97·0	80·1	106·8	108·1	92·1	89·8	96·2	106·2	108·2	109·2	89·0	108·9	101·3
October	97·7	96·2	78·9	108·8	113·0	97·0	88·4	96·5	105·6	109·8	111·9	91·5	108·4	101·0
November	98·6	96·4	85·8	111·1	120·0	97·7	87·8	97·7	104·9	112·6	114·0	113·2	109·4	100·8
December	102·5	99·0	110·2	117·0	119·1	101·8	89·7	104·9	105·0	108·0	114·7	120·5	111·8	100·9
1968 January	105·4	101·0	115·0	114·7	107·5	104·3	91·4	109·3	104·7	99·7	115·2	111·4	114·7	102·9
February	104·6	101·0	115·1	108·1	104·1	103·6	86·9	111·3	103·9	99·9	113·7	91·6	117·1	105·3
March ...	100·4	100·6	120·7	104·5	106·1	104·0	88·7	114·2	103·9	103·7	112·6	91·6	120·3	106·3
April ...	98·9	99·0	116·4	107·0	108·3	102·7	94·8	119·1	104·2	107·8	102·5	95·7	122·2	106·1
May ...	97·8	98·8	121·3	105·3	112·1	106·7	94·4	120·8	104·5	111·5	79·9	80·8	122·5	106·0
June ...	97·6	97·3	118·5	109·3	106·9	106·5	101·4	119·5	105·1	105·5	79·7	87·3	118·2	106·0
July ...	98·6	97·2	111·8	107·6	105·6	97·1	—	114·7	105·4	106·1	89·3	88·5	117·6	105·7
August	98·4	96·9	103·9	109·0	107·1	96·9	65·1	108·7	105·4	106·5	100·8	88·5	119·2	105·4
September	100·5	99·2	102·7	109·8	108·7	98·7	74·5	106·4	105·6	107·7	108·4	88·5	119·1	105·1
October	104·9	101·3	100·6	111·7	112·0	104·7	87·4	105·4	105·7	108·8	111·7	95·7	116·6	105·0
November	107·5	104·3	103·0	115·7	116·5	107·1	93·2	107·6	106·0	109·3	115·2	112·8	116·6	105·2
December	108·4	105·1	112·4	121·6	115·5	108·4	98·2	112·8	106·8	104·8	116·0	131·7	115·8	105·0
1969 January	108·6	106·8	117·0	120·3	106·9	109·4	98·6	116·3	106·6	98·4	117·2	110·9	117·8	105·0
February	108·0	107·4	118·8	114·7	106·2	110·2	98·0	118·8	106·8	102·0	114·8	103·0	117·3	105·6
March ...	106·6	108·8	119·3	113·2	103·9	111·0	99·4	119·7	107·1	101·3	116·6	111·8	120·7	106·0
April ...	106·1	107·6	116·6	110·0	104·5	112·4	124·3	124·4	107·5	105·0	102·7	114·7	122·0	106·2
May ...	106·8	107·3	120·6	107·4	105·2	112·9	136·7	125·4	107·5	107·3	80·2	89·8	117·4	106·9
June ...	107·1	106·4	128·3	108·6	104·0	113·1	152·5	126·9	108·3	106·6	79·5	82·2	114·4	106·7
July ...	106·1	100·5	121·3	109·9	98·2		—	122·2	109·3	102·2	88·2	83·0	113·0	107·2
August...	103·6	103·2	114·9	104·6	94·7		125·5	116·8	108·9	102·9	100·5	91·0	114·1	107·6
Sept. ...	103·5	101·8	113·0	104·7	105·2		115·0	114·1	109·3	112·3	107·4	95·3	114·7	107·6
October	106·8	101·3	107·7	115·3	117·8		102·5	112·1	109·7	115·3	111·0	99·3		107·7
November	108·2	100·9	104·4	124·8	130·6		111·5	113·1	110·6	119·8	112·0	110·0		108·1
December	108·6	100·1	107·7[8]	129·6[8]	131·4[8]		122·3	116·4[6]	111·7[8]	119·2[8]	114·7	123·2		109·3
1970 January	111·2	102·7		129·5[8]					111·7[8]		115·8	103·6[8]		110·7
February														110·8
March ...														

(1) Based on manufacturers' list prices.
(2) The market-price series are based on prices before the addition of subsidies paid to producers under the Cereals Deficiency Payments Scheme and Fatstock Guarantee Scheme.
(3) The gross-price series for wheat, cattle and pigs are based on prices after the addition of subsidies paid to producers; those for milk and eggs on prices paid to producers by the marketing boards for these commodities; and that for potatoes on producer prices, sometimes 'supported' by the Potato Marketing Board.
(4) Figures to June 1969 have been adjusted to final deficiency payments.
(5) Maincrop potatoes only.
(6) Based on guaranteed minimum prices to producers at packing station until March 1966, then on B.E.M.B. prices to producers under the Egg Contract Schemes.
(7) Based on net prices to farmers after deduction of subsidy.
(8) Provisional.

Source: Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food

Import and export unit value index numbers(1) and tramp shipping freights

TABLE 165

	Imports 1961 = 100					Exports 1961 = 100								Terms of trade (2)	Tramp shipping freights 1960 = 100	
								Manufactured goods								
	Total	Food, beverages and tobacco	Basic materials	Fuels	Manufactured goods	Total	Non-manufactures	Total	Chemicals	Textiles	Metals	Machinery and transport equipment	Other		Voyage charter	Time charter
S.I.T.C. Section and Division		0 and 1	2 and 4	3	5 to 8		0 to 4	5 to 8	5	65	67 to 69	7				
Weights	*1,000*	*327*	*222*	*106*	*337*	*1,000*	*145*	*824*	*84*	*63*	*121*	*417*	*139*			
1964 ...	107	115	103	95	105	106	108	106	101	107	107	107	105	99	112·1	119·0
1965 ...	107	113	102	90	109	109	105	109	104	109	113	110	108	102	126·5	134·0
1966 ...	109	114	103	84	114	113	107	114	106	111	120	114	113	104	113·5	132·4
1967 ...	109	113	99	92	116	114	102	116	106	111	120	118	116	105	120·5	130·4
1968 ...	121	120	107	107	135	123	108	126	113	115	133	128	128	102	123·8	138·7
1969 ...	126	124	115	100	142	127	114	130	116	122	139	131	131	101	117·5	137·7
1967 1st qtr	108	115	100	82	116	114	104	116	106	112	119	117	116	105	103·3	117·2
2nd qtr	107	114	99	81	114	114	103	116	106	113	119	118	116	106	109·0	123·5
3rd qtr	108	111	97	100	115	115	101	117	107	111	120	119	116	106	124·7	136·6
4th qtr	113	116	98	104	122	116	102	118	108	111	123	120	117	103	144·0	144·6
1968 1st qtr	120	120	104	108	134	121	108	123	111	113	130	124	126	101	129·4	145·6
2nd qtr	121	120	108	108	135	123	109	126	113	115	134	127	128	102	120·6	141·6
3rd qtr	122	120	109	107	136	125	107	128	115	116	133	132	129	103	120·5	131·5
4th qtr	123	122	110	106	137	126	109	129	116	117	132	132	130	103	124·8	136·0
1969 1st qtr	124	123	112	104	138	128	114	130	117	120	135	133	130	103	118·8	134·9
2nd qtr	125	124	115	102	141	128	115	130	118	122	136	132	131	102	114·9	142·8
3rd qtr	127	125	116	100	144	128	115	131	118	122	139	132	131	101	113·5	134·3
4th qtr	129	128	117	98	149	129	114	132	118	123	144	133	132	100	122·8	138·3
1968 Oct.	123	122	110	106	137	126	109	128	116	117	132	132	129	102	119·4	146·6
Nov.	123	122	110	106	136	126	109	129	116	117	131	132	129	103	128·0	137·5
Dec.	124	123	111	105	138	126	109	129	115	117	131	133	131	102	126·9	123·8
1969 Jan.	124	123	111	105	138	127	114	130	117	120	134	133	130	103	120·6	133·9
Feb.	123	123	112	104	137	128	115	130	117	119	135	133	130	104	117·8	131·1
Mar.	124	122	113	103	138	128	114	131	117	120	136	133	131	103	117·9	139·7
April	125	124	114	103	139	127	115	130	117	121	135	133	130	102	123·7	135·4
May	126	124	116	101	141	128	115	130	118	122	136	132	131	102	112·5	145·1
June	126	124	115	101	142	128	115	130	118	122	137	132	131	102	108·5	148·0
July	126	125	116	100	143	128	116	131	117	122	139	132	131	102	116·9	136·5
Aug.	126	124	115	100	143	128	115	131	118	122	139	132	131	102	114·2	134·3
Sept.	128	126	117	100	146	128	115	131	118	122	141	132	130	100	109·4	132·2
Oct.	129	128	116	99	147	129	114	132	118	122	143	133	131	100	122·8	137·2
Nov.	130	128	117	98	149	129	114	132	118	122	144	134	133	100	126·4	135·4
Dec.	130	128	117	97	150	130	115	133	117	124	146	133	132	100	119·3	142·2
1970 Jan.	130	128	118	97	151	130	116	133	117	124	148	134	133	100		
Feb.																
Mar.																

(1) The weighting of the monthly index is based on the pattern of trade in 1961. The method of calculating the import and export unit value index was explained in the *Board of Trade Journal* for 13 September 1963.

(2) Export unit value index as a percentage of the import unit value index.

Sources: Board of Trade
Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom

Broadcast receiving licences, cinemas and gramophone records

TABLE 166

	Broadcast receiving licences current			Cinemas(1)		Gramophone records					
		Television				Production				Sales(2)	
	Sound only	Monochrome	Colour	Number of admissions	Gross box-office takings	Total	78 r.p.m.	45 r.p.m.(3)	33⅓ r.p.m. excluding medium play	Total	For export
	End of period			Weekly averages							
	Thousands			Millions	£ million	Thousands				£ thousand	
1963	3,092	12,789		7·4	1·14	85,454	1,846	61,342	22,267	21,767	2,599
1964	2,860	13,155		6·9	1·16	101,257	587	72,841	27,829	25,602	2,964
1965	2,678	13,516		6·4	1·22	93,746	475	61,809	31,462	25,453	3,460
1966	2,513	13,919		5·6	1·20	84,871	400	51,196	33,275	25,082	3,777
1967	2,583	14,910		5·17	1·14	89,833	308	51,576	37,949	27,929	3,886
1968	2,502	15,431	75	4·70	1·14	98,551	206	49,161	49,184	30,140	5,004
1967 April ...	2,526	14,392		5·92	1·19	6,462	28	3,661	2,773	1,754	261
May ...	2,541	14,463		4·76	1·04	6,812	40	3,806	2,966	2,017	375
June ...	2,549	14,510		4·20*	0·92*	6,299	16	3,457	2,826	2,054	324
July ...	2,554	14,556		4·88	1·10	5,944	16	3,691	2,237	1,661	296
August ...	2,584	14,687		5·96	1·30	5,761	15	3,659	2,087	1,985	237
September	2,594	14,776		5·64*	1·26*	8,207	38	4,359	3,810	2,118	257
October ...	2,601	14,862		5·40	1·26	8,882	31	4,705	4,146	2,771	374
November	2,594	14,880		5·13	1·17	10,689	31	5,511	5,147	3,270	382
December	2,583	14,910		4·02*	0·94*	9,550	7	5,205	4,338	4,106	419
1968 January ...	2,574	15,006	10	5·66	1·36	9,524	20	5,249	4,255	2,607	359
February...	2,567	15,053	15	5·05	1·20	8,434	24	4,252	4,158	2,464	396
March ...	2,557	15,073	20	4·98*	1·17*	8,214	20	4,261	3,933	2,409	393
April ...	2,533	15,111	25	5·20	1·19	7,280	8	4,128	3,144	1,939	360
May ...	2,547	15,172	30	4·43	1·02	7,469	14	3,909	3,546	1,906	304
June ...	2,547	15,196	34	4·04*	0·94*	6,433	11	3,294	3,128	1,520	277
July ...	2,556	15,275	40	4·63	1·10	6,950	21	3,567	3,362	1,884	377
August ...	2,553	15,286	45	5·31	1·26	6,571	13	3,664	2,894	2,083	329
September	2,543	15,273	51	4·75*	1·20*	8,507	13	4,442	4,052	2,313	416
October ...	2,521	15,319	58	4·70	1·20	9,454	36	3,646	5,772	3,256	572
November	2,511	15,332	67	4·21	1·08	9,862	16	3,793	6,053	3,769	722
December	2,502	15,431	75	3·72*	0·97*	9,853	10	4,956	4,887	3,990	498
1969 January ...	2,475	15,353	86	5·26	1·37	10,051	17	4,578	5,456	2,644	419
February...	2,469	15,395	93	4·49	1·18	7,697	21	3,272	4,404	2,165	500
March ...	2,464	15,410	99	4·52*	1·17*	7,783	18	3,497	4,268	2,755	543
April ...	2,453	15,423	105	4·36	1·14	8,359	13	4,049	4,297	2,393	427
May ...	2,450	15,449	110	3·77	1·01	7,620	9	3,287	4,324	2,055	379
June ...	2,452	15,479	116	3·50*	0·93*	8,275	6	3,615	4,654	1,824	328
July ...	2,462	15,499	124	4·17	1·07	7,725	13	3,690	4,022	1,968	366
August ...	2,472	15,499	131	5·32	1·30	6,769	14	3,382	3,373	1,897	338
September	2,430	15,438	138	4·58*	1·25*	9,358	26	3,484	5,848	2,869	630
October ...	2,414	15,548	150	4·21	1·20	10,980	14	4,283	6,683	3,542	646
November	2,395	15,598	172	3·55	1·04	10,559	19	4,303	6,237	3,770	575
December	2,375	15,612	197			11,180	3	5,178	5,999	4,540	560
1970 January ...	2,346	15,605	226								
February...	2,329	15,632	249								
March ...											

(1) Great Britain.
(2) Manufacturers' sales exclusive of purchase tax.
(3) Including medium play and a small number of other types. *Average of five weeks.

Sources: Post Office
Board of Trade
Ministry of Technology

Temperature, rainfall and sunshine

TABLE 167

	Temperature(1)				Rainfall				Sunshine			
	Average 1931–1960	1968	1969	1970	Average 1916–1950	1968	1969	1970	Average 1931–1960	1968	1969	1970
	Degrees Centigrade(2)				Millimetres(3)				Mean hours per day			
England and Wales												
Annual mean or total... ...	10·2	10·0	9·9		904	979	913		3·95	3·48	3·71	
January	4·3	5·0	6·2	4·4	92	78	97	106	1·57	1·21	1·07	1·05
February	4·5	2·8	1·7	3·8	66	47	73	82	2·38	2·21	2·36	3·57
March	6·4	7·0	4·1		57	55	77		3·69	4·02	2·36	
April	8·8	8·5	7·9		60	66	59		5·20	5·93	6·34	
May	11·7	10·3	11·6		63	75	115		6·15	4·98	4·61	
June...	14·8	14·9	14·3		55	87	57		6·61	6·28	8·46	
July	16·4	15·1	17·0		79	105	71		5·73	4·64	6·70	
August	16·4	16·0	16·6		81	72	76		5·44	4·02	4·62	
September	14·3	14·5	14·6		76	149	39		4·35	3·91	3·39	
October	10·8	13·1	13·3		92	92	18		3·12	1·97	3·28	
November	7·5	7·3	6·2		95	74	142		1·81	1·36	2·48	
December	5·6	4·1	4·2		88	78	89		1·31	1·11	0·90	
Scotland												
Annual mean or total... ...	8·7	8·3	8·3		1,419	1,302	1,235		3·37	3·27	3·30	
January	3·5	3·9	4·7	3·4	154	129	146	118	1·26	1·15	0·97	0·88
February	4·3	2·3	1·1	2·1	106	80	82	138	2·30	2·65	2·46	3·31
March	5·4	5·6	3·1		89	135	43		3·21	2·86	3·05	
April	7·5	7·1	6·6		88	78	73		4·68	5·34	5·29	
May	10·2	8·3	9·5		87	115	116		5·86	4·69	4·04	
June...	12·9	13·2	13·2		87	69	86		5·76	6·33	6·79	
July	14·6	13·5	15·0		114	115	78		4·55	4·00	4·82	
August	14·3	13·9	15·3		122	68	87		4·38	5·53	4·82	
September	12·4	12·5	12·7		128	130	125		3·66	3·15	3·29	
October	9·4	10·8	11·7		158	206	118		2·47	1·85	2·25	
November	6·3	5·9	3·6		143	87	170		1·48	1·36	1·67	
December	4·7	3·8	3·7		143	89	111		0·95	0·81	0·85	
Northern Ireland												
Annual mean or total... ...	9·2	8·9	8·6		1,081	1,038	962		3·53	3·78	3·39	
January	3·8	5·1	4·5	3·7	109	127	132	109	1·53	1·06	1·07	1·03
February	4·3	1·8	1·2	2·7	76	40	79	125	2·31	3·16	2·17	3·12
March	6·0	5·9	3·3		66	83	48		3·34	3·04	2·68	
April	8·0	7·6	7·1		67	59	69		4·97	5·62	6·15	
May...	10·6	8·7	10·0		72	78	107		6·14	5·16	4·67	
June...	13·5	13·6	13·0		71	77	79		5·83	7·10	7·00	
July	14·9	13·7	15·4		96	39	51		4·40	5·24	5·32	
August	14·7	14·5	15·1		102	74	55		4·39	6·32	4·35	
September	12·7	12·6	12·8		66	135	39		3·62	3·68	2·64	
October	9·7	11·8	12·5		111	143	59		2·71	2·06	2·14	
November	6·6	6·3	4·3		104	97	132		1·91	1·53	1·91	
December	4·8	3·9	4·0		111	87	113		1·15	1·08	1·00	

(1) Daily mean air temperature at sea-level.
(2) To convert °Centigrade into °Fahrenheit: multiply by 9, divide by 5, and add 32.
°Fahrenheit into °Centigrade: subtract 32, multiply by 5, and divide by 9.
(3) 1 inch = 25·400 millimetres.
1 millimetre = 0·0394 inches.

Source: Meteorological Office

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